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KIDNAPER IN CELL; CONFESSES

CONGRESS NAVY DID NOT SAVE S-4

Resolution Calls for Inquiry.

Admiral F. H. Brumby, in charge of salvage operations on the submarine S-4, said yesterday that hope had been abandoned for the lives of the crew and that the boat would be raised until next spring. Details on page 6.

ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.

(Picture on back page.)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 22.—(Special.)—With the abandonment of hope of raising the submarine S-4, the navy is turning its attention to the investigation of the disaster.

When the body of the submarine S-4 was found, it was in a position to suggest that the vessel had been hit by a mine or a torpedo.

Rescue attempts have been made, but the weather has been so bad that it has been impossible to raise the vessel.

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MEXICO HAILS LINDY'S MOTHER AS SHE LANDS

Her Story of Long Flight.

BY JOHN CORNYN.
(Picture on back page.)

(Chicago Tribune Press Service.)
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 22.—The Ford airplane bearing Mrs. Evangeline L. Lindbergh alighted at Valbuena aviation field here at 3:45 p. m. today. People of all ranks were in the crowd which greeted her.

Three quarters of an hour before, five Mexican planes had gone out, headed by her son, Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, in his plane the Spirit of St. Louis, to meet Mrs. Lindbergh and escort her to the field.

But Col. Lindbergh at first missed the big plane carrying his mother because of the heavy fog which hung over the mountains to the north. He finally sighted her ship, however, and trailed it toward Valbuena field. Mrs. Lindbergh's plane first was sighted from the field at 3:35 p. m.

The crowd, bursting through the comparatively few police and military guards, rushed on to the field and crowded about her airplane as it alighted.

Cards soon controlled the crowd and Mrs. Lindbergh, bearing in her hand the flag of the United States and Mexico, was escorted to the automobile of the American ambassador, Dwight Morris, which was decorated with flowers.

Greeted by General Gen. Jose Alvarez, chief of President Calles' staff, representing the president, was the first to enter the plane to greet Mrs. Lindbergh in the name of the president of Mexico and the Mexican people. He was followed by Ambassador and Mrs. Dwight W. Morrow, who congratulated Mrs. Lindbergh on making the first successful international flight of long duration between a northern American city and Mexico City.

Mrs. Lindbergh replied that her own pleasure at having made the flight was inexpressible.

Numerous wreaths and bouquets of flowers were presented to Mrs. Lindbergh as the plane alighted on the field, among them a bunch of gladioli known here as "Christmas flowers," sent by President Calles, and others from the ambassador and Mrs. Morrow, and the embassy staff. Members of the embassy staff were with the ambassador at the field.

Mrs. Lindbergh was driven hurriedly from the field in the ambassador's car to the embassy.

Crowds Storm Lindy.

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IF THE AVERAGE JUROR HAD HIS WAY



HUGHES TO GET NEW POLICE TITLE AND 3 DEPUTIES

Chicago after Jan. 1 will have a commissioner of police instead of a chief. The city council committee conferred the new title on Chief Michael Hughes last night in appropriating for his position in the 1928 city budget.

The committee also approved the chief's request to create the new positions of chief deputy commissioner, at \$8,000 a year, and 3 deputy commissioners at \$7,500. Deputy Chiefs Ira McDowell, James L. Mooney, and John Alcock will become deputy commissioners and 5 captains or lieutenants will be promoted to the other positions.

Chief of Detectives William O'Connor will retain his present title. In asking for the new reorganization, Chief Hughes explained that the old designations are "small town stuff."

New York and other large cities, he said, have the commissioner system. The deputy commissioners will serve as intermediary officers between Hughes and his captains, each having supervision over a district. Instead of transmitting orders directly to the captains, the orders will go through the deputy commissioners, acting as staff officers.

Italian Pilot Sets Altitude Record; Soars 38,793 Feet

TURIN, Italy, Dec. 22.—[U.P.]—The Italian airplane pilot Renato Donati broke the world's altitude record tonight by attaining 11,877 meters (38,793 feet), exactly 100 meters higher than the record of the American aviator Lieut. Carlton C. Champion.

THE WEATHER

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1927.

Sunrise, 7:10; sunset, 4:23. Moon sets at 4:01 p. m. today. Venus is the morning and Jupiter the evening star.

Chicago and vicinity.—TRI-BUNE BAROMETER.

Fair Friday and probably Saturday, but some clouds; not much change in temperature; moderate northerly winds Friday.

Illinois.—Fair Friday and probably Saturday, but some clouds; not much change in temperature.

TEMPERATURES IN CHICAGO

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King Answers Coolidge on Navy Parley

BY JOHN STEELE.
(Chicago Tribune Press Service.)

LONDON, Dec. 22.—A reply to President Coolidge's slap at Great Britain for the failure to reach an agreement at the Geneva naval conference, was sounded today in King George's speech proroguing parliament until Feb. 17.

The king's speech, which was read in the house of lords by the lord chancellor, is the prime minister's review of the last year. After discussing various subjects, it said: "A conference with the representatives of the United States of America, and of Japan, was held at Geneva, at which the delegates from my government put forward proposals for the future limitation of armaments which, if accepted, would have led to a substantial reduction of naval strength and costs."

"I regret that though much community of view was revealed, it was not possible to reach a general agreement. In spite of this temporary failure, my government has no intention of embarking on an increased naval building program, which is based on a considered view of the defensive needs of my widespread empire."

The session of parliament just closed was the most fruitful of business legislation in several years. Outstanding bills passed included the landlord and tenant bill, curtailing the powers and rights of landlords; the trade union bill, curtailing the powers of trade unions, and the bill tightening, and in some cases, reducing, the amount of the so-called duty to the unemployed.

Trans-Atlantic Phone Pays Way.

Just before the adjournment Viscount Wolmer, answering questions for the postmaster general, denied that the trans-Atlantic telephone actually is losing money. He said it is paying expenses, though not providing for depreciation and amortization, but that there is every prospect to put it on a really paying basis. Business is increasing all the time, he said. One hotel in London alone booked more than fifty messages to various parts of the United States for Christmas day.

Cafe's Two Women Owners Battle Over Price of Chili

Miss Louise Reinhard, 31 years old, and Miss Tina Parker, 28, proprietors of a restaurant at 116 Astbury avenue, Evanston, were arrested yesterday for fighting. When they were arraigned before Magistrate Samuel Harrison it was disclosed that they had quarreled over the price that should be charged for a bowl of chili. Miss Reinhard favored 20 cents and Miss Parker 15 cents. Magistrate Harrison suggested that the price be made two for 35 cents and continued the case.

DYING, FORGIVES FOE IN SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS

Death is slowly creeping on Joseph Barba, 32 years old. He has a bullet wound in his lung, suffered in a battle during a church carnival last summer, and physicians have told him he cannot live long past the Christmas holidays.

Last night he called his wife and eight children to his bedside in his little flat at 609 West 23d street.

"Send for the police," he said, "and when they come, listen to me."

Sergeant Thomas Kelly and John Connolly answered the summons.

"Fred Tassoni shot me," said Barba. "He lives at 523 West 27th street. I want you to find him. You see what this shooting has caused. We have no money for the rent. But Christmas is coming. Find Tassoni and tell him I do not hate him. If he will say he does not hate me, I shall die happy."

The detectives promised to find Tassoni, who had been arrested for the shooting and is free on bonds. Then they went out and began to collect a Christmas fund for the relief of the Barbas.

NO SEVERE COLD ON XMAS MENU, FORECAST SAYS

Seasonable weather is indicated for Christmas day, C. A. Donnel of the Chicago weather bureau announced yesterday. No severe cold is in sight, he said. Fair skies and not much change in temperature was the forecast for today.

"Yesterday was the winter solstice, the sun rising at 7:15 a. m. and setting at 4:23 p. m., making the day the shortest of the year. At 2:13 p. m. the sun began to climb back to the northern skies from its southernmost point. The sun will cross the equator on March 21."

Woman Found Dead After Blaze in Kitchen of Flat

Mrs. Minnie Blunk, 59 years old, was found dead in her flat at 1010 Garfield avenue, early this morning by firemen who answered a call to the place. The fire, a small blaze in the kitchen, was out when the firemen arrived. Blood in the room for a time mystified police, but they decided Mrs. Blunk had been asleep by the kitchen stove and had fallen when her clothing ignited. It was supposed heart disease caused death.

Twelve families were driven from their homes this morning by flames in an apartment building at 344 West 13th street. The fire was in the basement, but burned through to the flat of Samuel Welskopf, and the smoke filled the building. The loss was \$1,000.

HICKMAN RUN TO EARTH IN OREGON AFTER CHASE

YOUTH'S STORY: CHLOROFORMED CHILD, HE SAYS

BULLETIN.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 22.—(AP)—William Edward Hickman was considering surrendering when he was here last night, a letter addressed to Chief of Police Searing revealed today. The letter was mailed at Bryn Mawr, Wash., adjoining Seattle to the north. The letter follows:

"I am tired of this. Will I be given fair play if I surrender? I did not intend to kill Marian. I did not want to harm her. I only wanted to put her to sleep. I did not want her to suffer, as she was a good girl. She was not afraid of me at any time and did not suffer. She only wanted to go home and would have left in safety if my plans had not failed. Will this fact make any difference? This is the truth."

THE FOX.

Pendleton, Ore., Dec. 22.—(AP)—William E. Hickman tonight told a broken story of the kidnapping of Marian Parker and at the same time endeavored desperately to shift the blame for the mutilation of the girl upon the shoulders of his "partner"—a man he named as "Andrew Cramer."

Hickman's story, told soon after his capture today to a correspondent of the Associated Press, was at times incoherent. He told how he had planned the kidnapping of the girl in order to raise enough money to attend college. The youth said he had not been cruel to her and that she was murdered and dismembered by Cramer, an alleged accomplice.

He related how he had treated the child gently and had become friendly with her and how he had taken her to a motion picture show the night before she was slain. He quoted the banker's daughter as saying after the movie:

"I wonder what the school kids will say when I go back. They will want to know what I did and everything." Then he wept.

"Where is your partner?" Hickman was asked.

"He said for me to meet him at the Herald hotel in San Francisco Sunday," was the answer. "But he was not there, so Tuesday morning I saw they had my name, so I got real scared then and I planned to get away myself. I thought I would get away north because they were searching in San Francisco, as I read about it in the papers and there was nothing I could do. After I saw him in Los Angeles, according to my appointment, I said, 'Where is the girl?' and he just kind of grinned and said, 'Where?'"

Tells of Meeting Father.

"When the father met me by appointment he spoke and said, 'I want to see my daughter,' and I said, 'She is here.' And I think I said she was asleep and I told him to give me the money; I have had trouble with her. And then he gave me the money right there and I told him I would drive up there a little way and let her out and I drove out a little way."

"Question—What was it cut her that way?"

"A—This fellow named Andrew Cramer, his part was—I ran away from home and I was in California and had been working in the First National bank and forged checks and got paid, and went back to Kansas City with my mother. And I wanted to go back again, so I then—I got this."

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First Tale Blames "Partner" in the Ransom Plot.

BULLETIN.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 22.—(Special.)—Detectives late tonight expressed serious doubt of the existence of an accomplice of William Edward Hickman. They examined several men whose names were similar to that of Andrew Cramer, accused by Hickman, and released them.

Pendleton, Ore., Dec. 22.—(Special.)—William Edward Hickman, 19, kidnaper of 19-year-old Marian Parker of Los Angeles, was captured without resistance in the town of Echo, near here, this afternoon after a man hunt that covered the whole Pacific coast.

Hickman was tired and worn by the strain of continually eluding the thousands of police on his trail. He at first denied his identity, but when the money he had received from the murdered girl's father was found on him he admitted that he was the kidnaper and confessed his part in the crime. He denied, however, that he was the slayer of the girl.

The youth was captured by Chief of Police Tom Gurdane of Pendleton and State Traffic Officer Buck Lussell. He was brought to the city jail here where his confession was taken down while thousands of persons milled around a roped off area in front of the jail.

Blames Killing on Another.

The killing, Hickman said, was the work of another man by the name of Andrew Cramer and a woman whose name he gave as June Dunning. This part of his story, however, did not ring true. His confession was given in a rambling way, although he appeared calm at all times.

Hickman said the girl was strangled by Cramer when Cramer became afraid her crying would attract attention. The slayer then brought the body to him and he turned it over to the girl's father after receiving the ransom money, he stated.

"I wanted the money to pay my way through college," Hickman declared.

Bill Is Clew to Fugitive.

The first real clew to the whereabouts of Hickman came last night from Seattle, where he passed one of the 33 certificates received as ransom. The police were notified immediately by the merchant who received the money. The law officers of the Pacific northwest at once began an intensive hunt for the kidnaper.

Soon after this it was learned that Hickman had passed another of the certificates at Klamath, about 35 miles from Seattle and that he apparently was doubling back on his trail because he found that snow blocked flight on the highways leading east from Seattle through Snoqualmie pass and he apparently decided not to take a chance on entering Canada.

Makes No Resistance.

Early this morning, Hickman was reported by a gasman in Portland to have purchased some fuel for the stolen auto in which he was traveling and to have inquired the condition of the Columbia highway east and the first towns he would reach along that route. Immediately these points were notified and the dragnet was thrown out.

When Hickman was arrested he had a sword of shotgun on the seat of the automobile beside him and an automatic pistol between his legs, but he made no attempt to use them.

The kidnaper was riding in a green Hudson roadster, bearing a Washington license plate. The auto, it was established, was stolen in Los Angeles Sunday night and the license plates in Kent this morning.


Gurdane and Lussell were on a curve when they saw the green Hudson sedan coming. They turned around quickly and started in pursuit.

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LET LAW PUNISH GIRL'S SLAYER, PARKER SAYS

Had He's Caught; Hopes There's No Mistake.

(Chicago Tribune From Service.)
Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 22.—(Special.)—“I am certainly thankful,” said the way Perry M. Parker, father of the kidnaped girl, received the news that Edward Hickman had been arrested in Oregon.
“I am not only thankful for myself but for the parents of all other children that such a dangerous man has been apprehended. This thing is too terrible to talk about adequate punishment for the man.”

The Parker home was guarded all day by three plain clothes men, two of whom were inside, one outside.
Guard Witnesses' Homes.
The homes of ex-Police Commissioner J. W. Birmingham, two doors away from the Parkers, and of County Attorney Frederick J. Yagor, next door, both of whom figured in the case, were guarded by detectives. With each of the confederates of the girl's killer still at large, the authorities were unwilling to take any chances with the welfare of key witnesses.

Mr. Parker said he was willing to let the law take its course in the case of Hickman. He said that he was satisfied justice would be done. The Parker family received news of Hickman's capture from a policeman sent out to help guard the family.
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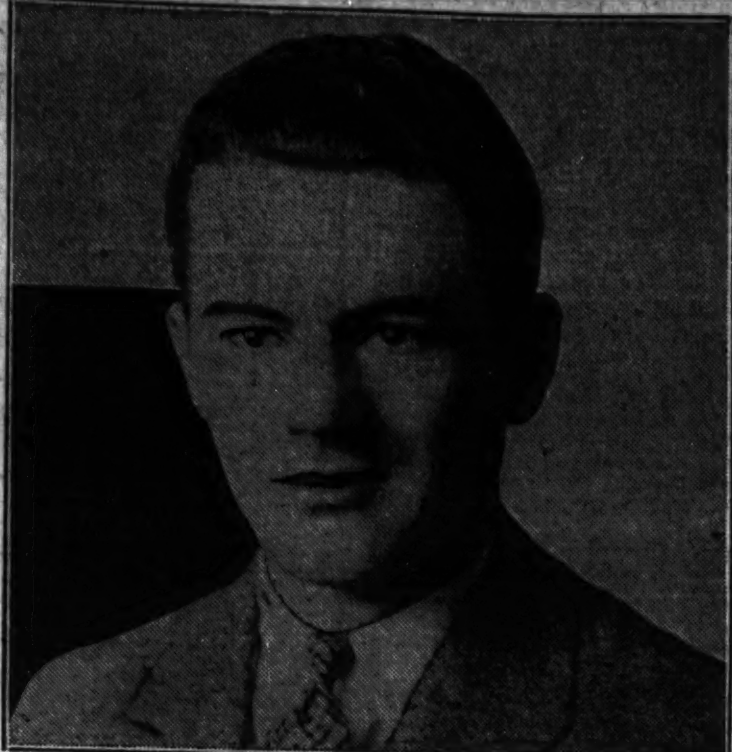
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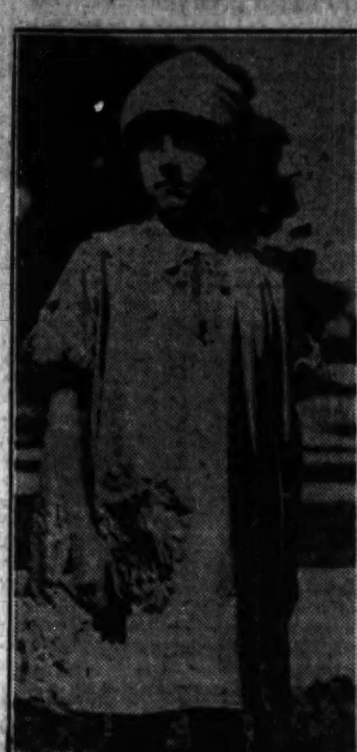
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William Edward Hickman, 19, confessed kidnaper of 12-year-old Marian Parker, who was captured in Echo, Ore., yesterday.



Marian Parker, 12-year-old Los Angeles girl, who was kidnapped by Hickman.

PREPARED FOR WINTER FLOOD CONTROL, SAYS HOOVER, AFTER TOUR

Washington, D. C., Dec. 22.—(Special.)—Arrangements for meeting various problems in the Mississippi flood area during the winter are complete, Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover reported today on his return from a final tour of inspection of the region.
Mr. Hoover said that the program calls for the expenditure of approximately \$3,250,000 during the next three or four months. The funds are already in hand, he said.
Various committees have surveyed the necessities for the winter,” said Mr. Hoover. “Rehabilitation work is complete except a part of the building program, which is ninety per cent complete. The program for the next three months includes providing food and clothing for about 100,000 people who are destitute, the feeding of their stock, the maintenance of health control activities and the supplying of seed to plant about 1,000,000 acres of crops in the spring.”

Secretary Hoover plans to appear before the house flood control committee in January in connection with the hearings on flood control legislation.
working in an El Paso railroad shop here this afternoon. He said the last time he saw his son was in Kansas City, Mo., in October, 1925, while the boy was working in a grocery store.
“I would rather be dead and in his hell one thousand times than to think a child of mine would commit such an atrocious crime,” Hickman said. “If he were to come to El Paso and appeal to me for aid, I would turn him over at once to the authorities.”

The father separated from the kidnaper some years ago and has since remarried.
Mother Once in Anytime.
Little Rock, Ark., Dec. 22.—(Special.)—Mrs. Eva Hickman, mother of William Edward Hickman, alleged slayer of Marian Parker of Los Angeles, was an inmate at the state hospital for nervous diseases here for two months in 1913. It was learned tonight from records at the institution. She was confined to the asylum at the request of her husband, W. T. Hickman, who feared she would take her own life in a fit of depression.

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COURT DENIES MRS. THAW \$600,000 GIVEN GRANDSON

New York, Dec. 22.—(Special.)—Mrs. Mary Copley Thaw of Pittsburgh, 88-year-old mother of Lawrence Copley Thaw, will not be able to regain a gift of \$600,000 which she made to him two years ago under a decision rendered today by Judge Frank J. Coleman in the United States District court. Mrs. Thaw, who is the mother of Harry K. Thaw, pleaded misrepresentation on the part of her grandson. Although denying her plea, Judge Coleman rebuked Thaw in his opinion.
“There is no claim that the plaintiff did not have legal capacity nor that her will was coerced,” said Judge Coleman. “She was unusually intelligent, as is disclosed by her correspondence. At the time of the gift she was at a low level of physical and mental energy because of an attack of pneumonia which she suffered three weeks previously.”

Through Senator David A. Reed, an attorney, Mrs. Thaw presented a large amount of testimony, both oral and documentary, before Judge Coleman. The opinion describes Thaw at the time of the gift as a young man of 25 years, precocious and developed in mind and personality considerably beyond that age.
Motor Stops in Air; Pilot Jailed for Careless Flying
(Copyright 1927 by The New York Times.)
BERLIN, Dec. 22.—(Special.)—A German pilot, was sentenced today by a court to serve three weeks in jail for careless flying, in which he caused one death and injuries to seven. Last Wednesday a plane piloted by him crashed among the spectators at a flying exhibition at Essen when the motor stopped. However, the judge ruled that the pilot showed carelessness in flying at such a low altitude that he was unable to glide to an open space after the motor failed.

French Senate Passes 1928 Budget by Vote of 275 to 17
(Chicago Tribune From Service.)
PARIS, Dec. 22.—By a vote of 275 to 17, the senate approved Premier Poincaré's 1928 budget practically without change tonight. The budget goes back to the chamber of deputies for final revision, which is expected to be completed before Christmas day. It provides for receipts of 42,497,000,000 francs (about \$1,557,252,000), and expenses of 200,000,000 francs (\$7,500,000) less than the receipts.

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GAMBLING CASE CONVICTIONS DECLINE IN 1927

The annual report of the Municipal court, issued yesterday, shows a decrease for 1927 as compared with 1926 in the number of prosecutions for gambling, traffic violations, non-support of family, and disorderly conduct. Types of cases that showed an increase were for keeping houses of ill fame, burglary, larceny, robbery, murder, and vagrancy. There were 116 murder charges filed in 1926 as compared with 213 in 1927.

In the traffic division of the court, 2,093 defendants were fined out of 14,549 cases disposed of during the year. Of felony cases, 8,540 persons were held to the Criminal court out of 17,642 defendants arraigned.

CORONER SAYS TWO MEN DIED IN PISTOL DUEL

Bedford, Ind., Dec. 22.—(Special.)—O. D. Emerson, coroner of Lawrence county, said tonight that Brooks Collins, 34, and Ben Piers, 49, farmers of near Fayetteville, killed each other during a quarrel last night. It is the theory of authorities that Piers shot Collins through the heart and that the latter, firing almost at the same time, shot Piers in the head. Both shots were fatal.

One revolver was found near the men but authorities reported another revolver with two shells fired was found in the Piers home. This revolver was smeared with mud. Mrs. Piers, the first to reach the two bodies, denied having taken the revolver from the husband.



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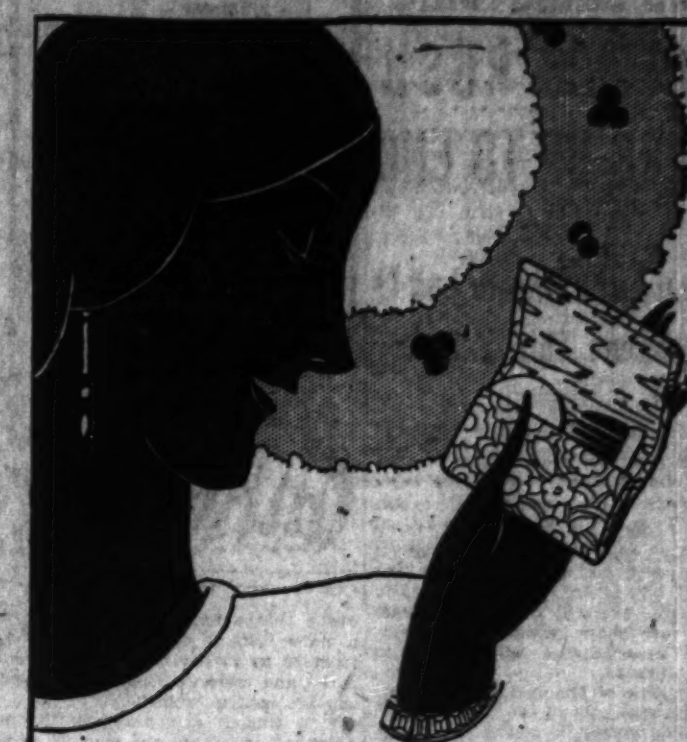
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WILD CHRISTMAS SHOPPING RUSH KEEPS UP TO END

Usual Last Minute Lull Is Absent This Year.

Only today and tomorrow left to do the Christmas shopping! Last minute shoppers are frantically checking over lists, adding names of people from whom gifts have been unexpectedly received and dashing about stores with as much speed as the crowds will allow. For the crowds in the stores are still great, in contrast to former years, when, dealers say, there is usually a lull starting in about Dec. 22.

The peak of the holiday rush generally comes about the 19th or 20th when the women do most of their buying, and after that the men begin to buy, say the merchants. A masculine manager of a large store had this to say in defense of procrastinating men: "In general men's time is more valuable than women's and they take every means to save it. From past experience they have learned that the last two or three days before Christmas see fewer people in the stores than in the week preceding and they deliberately put off their buying until then."

Merely an Unpleasant Job. But women department managers have another explanation. They say there is no reason behind the tardiness at all. "Men simply put off shopping as an unpleasant job," they say. "Then when their desks, counters remind them there is only a day or two left they suddenly remember a lot of gifts they 'simply have to buy,' and either dispatch their secretaries with a few general instructions or come and throw themselves at the mercy of the shop girls or gift department managers for suggestions."

The dealers say, too, that the more prominent the man, the more likely he is to be a tardy buyer; the more fertile his brain for million dollar projects, the fewer his ideas on such simple things as what would constitute an appropriate gift for his wife, his daughter, or his mother.

Ignorant of Families. And furthermore men seem, when pinned down by questions, to have little knowledge of their families. When a man comes to the shoppers' guides for suggestions, they say, he doesn't know what else gives his wife wears, or what she uses. He seldom can remember the name on the perfume bottle that has been on his wife's dressing table for many months, nor can he describe the bottle. In desperation he will either leave every thing up to the shopper's guide or wander about the store himself, and invariably, clerks say, he will make for the lingerie counter. This, however, only



BUGLES TO CALL WARS' VETERANS TO XMAS DINNER

Guests to Greet Old Allies and Foes.

With a guest list of 3,000 assured, final arrangements were made last night for the reception of ex-service men and their families at the Hotel Sherman yesterday for the annual Christmas dinner for war veterans on Christmas day in the Hotel Sherman.

From among 65 commanders of American Legion posts and men and women leaders in service men's organizations and their auxiliaries who met in the Sherman a reception committee of forty members was selected.

Glad to Aid Project. All of these men and women volunteered enthusiastically. Claude Foubare and Frank Kee were named to head the committee.

It will be the function of the committee to introduce the guests to each other and superintend the seating. Howard P. Savage, former national commander, and James C. Russell, local head of the 46 and 8, who conducted the meeting, stressed the importance of the commanders' turning in the acceptance cards immediately, but in the event extra guests should appear at the last moment responsibility for seating them will rest with the reception group.

Arthur Matticks, commander of Commonwealth Edison post, volunteered to supply a bugle corps of 20 members to sound march call at 1:15 Christmas afternoon in the neighborhood of the hotel and in its corridors. The feast is to be set at 1:30 and the entertainment to be given by W-G-N performers will continue throughout the afternoon.

Will Exchange Greetings. It was proposed that a resolution be drafted containing greetings to the Allied and German armies. The message will be cabled as an expression of good will from the 3,000 veterans by the Tenthurs to the ex-service men who were their friends and their foes on the battlefield.

A few words explaining the spirit of comradeship behind the dinner which is expected by its sponsors to be manifold at the affair were broadcast last night over W-G-N by Mr. Kee. Mr. Savage made similar talks Wednesday and Thursday nights. Among those who were named on the reception committee were Judge William E. Helander, past commander of Englewood post; A. P. Boyle, commander of the 4th district; James E. White, senior vice commander of the Illinois department; James J. Buckley, past commander of Grand Crossing post; James J. Ringler and David Shillinglaw, past presidents of the Cook county association, and Mrs. Helen Foubare of the Cook county council.

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Washington, D. C., Dec. 22.—(AP)—Though enmeshed in a mass of contradictions of his own testimony, Edward J. Kidwell Jr. today stuck to his story that he had been intimidated and threatened by the district attorney's office as a witness in the criminal contempt proceedings against Harry F. Sinclair, William J. Burns, and their four associates.

Kidwell, who was on the Teapot Dome trial jury, under a sharp examination by James J. O'Leary, assistant district attorney, admitted that the affidavit he made in the office of the district attorney on Dec. 9 was false and had been dictated by himself. He insisted, however, others had been written by O'Leary, who had put his own words into them. Part of them were true, he said.

Ambassador Houghton in U. S. to Spend Holidays. Corning, N. Y., Dec. 22.—(AP)—Alanson B. Houghton, ambassador to Great Britain, arrived in Corning, his home city, today to spend the Christmas holidays.

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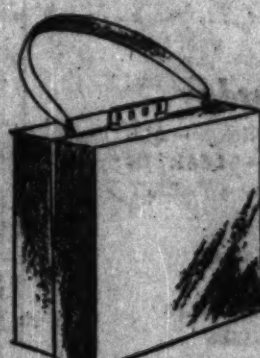
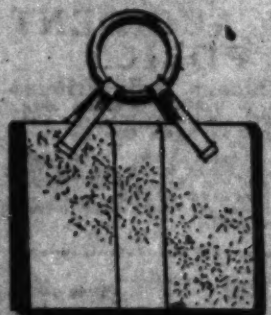
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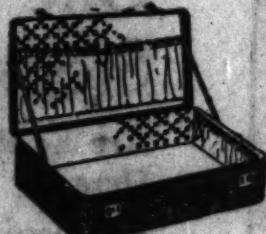
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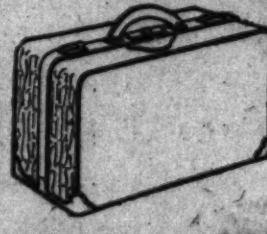
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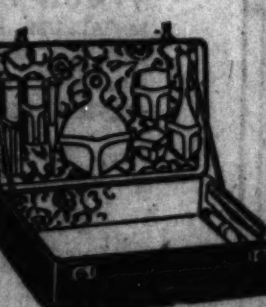
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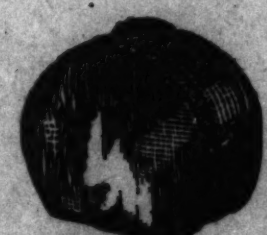
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Just for

SANTA COMES TO PLAINES ST. WEARING A STAR

Give a Party for
District's Needy Hordes

BY PHILIP KINSLEY.

(Picture on back page.)
The Christmas spirit which has been
over Chicago for days found
its way to many quarters yester-
day. Santa Claus, in the person of
Judge Max Luster, came to the
plains station to give a party for
the needy hordes of the district.
The party was held at the plains
station, which will be the talk of the
city for days. Capt. Homer is a
copper of the old school who
where the poor are concerned
goes to the aid of Judge Max Luster,
who is in charge of the district every
year. He decided that it would be nice
to have a Christmas party, reviving a
custom of years ago. So they took
a party from the police and the
men of the section and sent
them to all the alleys and flops,
and to the poor to come to the
station Thursday morning at 11:30.

Grand Besting Station.
The results exceeded all expecta-
tions. When Capt. Homer arrived at
the station at 11:30 o'clock he found a
crowd of men extending a block crush-
ing the station. The doors
opened in the rush. Thin, shiv-
ering men, many without overcoats,
waited undernourished, waiting two
hours for the captain and his sec-
retary, William Cullerton, and everybody
in the station got ready for the

men were set at the task of
giving out bags for kids. A Christ-
mas tree decorated by Butler Brothers
was surrounded with glittering toys.
The children were the largest you
ever saw, but then the hands of big
men are not used to these dainty
things and they did the best they
could. The old room from which po-
lice are sent out to the Haymarket
was strung with toy balloons, a
light was turned on, and all com-
munications were forgotten for the day.
The patrol wagons were kept busy
taking food from Arnold Brothers,
the Vienna Model bakery, and other
places that gave freely. The Hay-
market theater sent over 150 pounds
of food. The Star and Garter the-
ater sent a load of toys. Joseph J.
Cullerton, superintendent of the Hay-
market street market, was busy pre-
paring food.

Volunteers All the Needy.
All the poor and needy to
come and the captain, undiminished.
He didn't expect anything like this.
The children, when the sun-
dries and pies began to give out
they were sent for more. Sec-
retary Cullerton kept run-
ning in with stories of families that
had no food or clothes and no
money for the kids to wear to the sta-
tion.
"Send the patrol wagon after them,
send them some clothes and blankets,"
said the captain. The party. The
captain had collected \$500 as an emer-
gency fund.
Four hours after the men filed past
the Haymarket counter.
"Move on, boys, move on," said a
man at the end of the counter.
He sold it with apples, taken from

\$10,200 FOR TRIBUNE CHARITIES



Anton J. Cermak (right), president of Cook county commissioners, signing check for \$7,500 for Tribune funds to give to Thomas J. Wren, who was in charge of Tribune Good Fellow campaign.



Christian Paschen, city building commissioner, turning over check for \$2,700 for Tribune funds to Miss Marian Reagan of The Tribune staff.

a barrel and shoved into the pockets
of the men as they went out into the
cold again.
Judge Turns 'em All Loose.
"The driftwood of humanity," said
Judge Luster, who was too busy to eat
lunch and who turned everybody loose
in his court.
"Not a drunken man in the bunch,"
said the captain proudly.
"Make a fellow feel good," said Sec-
retary Cullerton, as he shoved an-
other ham sandwich at a little colored
boy.
"Can't eat no more," said the boy.
Take it home in a bag for the old
man.
The Volunteers of America began
their series of Christmas parties to the
poor yesterday, distributing toys and
candies to a thousand children at 2441
Washington boulevard. The distribu-
tion of baskets will be held tomorrow
at the same place. The Volunteers
have funds for 1,500 baskets, but could
use money for 3,500 more families.
More than 300 have been helped to jobs
by the agency workers during the last
three weeks.
Six hundred and fifty children from
the Spaulding School for Crippled Chil-
dren were given a party yesterday in a
"hoop" theater. Mayor Thompson
dropped in to wish the children
happy Christmas.

A BOMB IN EXPLOSION ON SHIP.
PARIS, Dec. 23.—(Tribune Cable.)—Two
petty officers and one sailor were killed
today and one officer and two sailors were
badly injured in an explosion aboard the
torpedo boat *Le Havre*. Though one boiler
was blown out, the boat was able to reach
Cherbourg.

BENEFIT SHOWS NET \$72,000 TO CHEER UP POOR

Proceeds Divided Among
Newspaper Funds.

Auditors completed their work yester-
day and the proceeds from the
Christmas benefit shows staged by
Anton Cermak, president of the county
board, and Building Commissioner
Christian P. Paschen were distributed
last night to charity funds maintained
by the Chicago daily newspapers.

Proceeds from Mr. Cermak's banquet
to Gene Tunney, heavyweight cham-
pion, and his boxing show at the Col-
iseum reached the \$50,000 mark. Each
Chicago newspaper received \$7,500.
Building Commissioner Paschen's al-
star show at the Chicago theater net-
ted \$22,500.

\$15,000 to Newspapers.
Fifteen thousand dollars of the pro-
ceeds from the Paschen show were
divided among the daily newspapers.
Mrs. Paschen's Service League received
\$480.

"Announcement of the Christmas
benefit show started the appeals of
poor families for aid, and up until
last night 200 of these families were
supplied with baskets of food and
candy and toys for the children," said
Commissioner Paschen. "This ex-
pense was defrayed from the proceeds
of the benefit show."
A portion of Mr. Cermak's fund will
be used for the down-and-outers, he an-
nounced.

Dinner for Down-and-Outers.
"I feel certain that every needy
family will be taken care of, but there
is another group which will be fed on
Christmas day, and that is the unfor-
tunate who come to Chicago and have
no homes," said Mr. Cermak.
"These down-and-outers reside in
flops. They, too, will enjoy Christmas,
and we plan a public dinner for them
at the following places: Immanuel Baptist
church, 134 and Michigan; Holy
Cross mission, Randolph and Des
Plaines; Cathedral shelter, 117 North
Peoria, and Olivet institute, 1441
Cleveland avenue.

"Dinner will be served at these
places at 11:30 on Christmas day, and
every man in Chicago who is hungry
will be welcome."

Chicago First Stop of Irish President on Tour of U. S.

(Chicago Tribune Press Service.)
DUBLIN, Dec. 22.—President Wil-
liam T. Cosgrave and his party will
leave Southampton on the *Homeric* for
America on Jan. 11, returning from
New York on Feb. 4. Chicago will be
the first stop after landing in New
York. The itinerary also includes
Washington, Philadelphia and Boston.

Boy Lays Head on Track, Ends Life After Scolding

ATLESBURY, Eng., Dec. 22.—(AP)—
How a 12-year-old boy died in a sui-
cide pact was related today in cor-
oner's court. Edward Forrest, son of
an engineer, on Monday proposed a
suicide pact to a playmate. The next
day, after being scolded by his father
for playing with gas, the boy placed
his head on a railway track and was
killed by a passing train. He left a
note saying: "Nobody wants me, so
I have killed myself."

Nicaragua Signs Agreement for U. S. to Officer Guards

MANAGUA, Dec. 22.—(U. P.)—Unit-
ed States naval men and marines will
offer the National Guard of Nicara-
gua, establishment of which was
provided today through an agreement
signed by Dana G. Munro, American
chargé d'affaires, and Dr. Carlos Cua-
dras, Nicaraguan foreign minister.

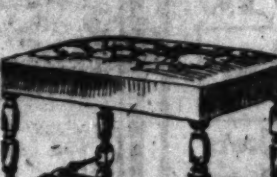
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CHARGE MURDER WOMAN, BABY DR. RONGETTI

Seize Him During
Enders Inquest.

(Picture on back page.)

Dr. Rongetti, proprietor of the Ashland Boulevard hospital, 800 Ashland avenue, was arrested last night and booked on the charge of murder in connection with the deaths of a woman and her infant child.

Dr. Rongetti, 434 Sheridan, was arrested by Detective Joseph Dorfman, chief of the investigation which led to the arrest of the physician.

The physician was taken into custody in the county jail by Detective William P. O'Brien, who was on duty at the station at the time.

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NEW YORK FEDERAL AGENTS READY FOR NEW YEAR PARTIES

New York, Dec. 22.—(AP)—Every night club and restaurant in New York and Brooklyn will be under the surveillance of prohibition officers on New Year's eve, Maurice Campbell, federal prohibition administrator for the city, announced today.

"If the law is violated in any of these places," he said, "some of our citizens may find themselves present in raids that cannot help but be embarrassing to them as individuals."

He said he was still alive when she (Miss Irwin) left.

Undergoes an Operation.

"It was about Nov. 16 that Miss Enders was taken to the operating room and an operation performed by Dr. Rongetti for the purpose of causing the woman's child to be born."

Miss Irwin testified, "I asked the doctor why the operation was necessary, and he said she had several social diseases and that an operation was imperative."

Three days later, the child was born. It was alive, gasping for breath, and lived for at least thirty minutes. It was still alive when I last saw it. The next I heard, the child had been placed in a bedpan and put in the bathroom. It was dead."

They Are Caught, Too.

Next, they were arrested. Last and most important, they confessed, and as result the bandit schoolman and the two obedient scholars also are in custody.

Policemen Vernon Cullison and James Scannell of the Oak Park force caught the first pair at Taylor and Chicago avenues early yesterday morning as they were breaking into a gasoline station. They are Charles Kohl and Elmer Schwabe of 714 South Western avenue.

Elmer, the younger, told the police he and his companion already had stuck up eight stations during the evening and had plenty of money. Then he began to sob.

"I'll never do it again," he said. "Miss Ida told us not to go out unless she was with us to see that we did things right."

They Hear of Dear Teacher.

The listening policemen picked up their ears as, under questioning, Elmer completed his story. The aftermath came when Policemen Koerber and Grooms of Oak Park went with a squad of Chicago policemen to Mrs. Madgers' flat at 2319 North Halsted street and arrested her and Edward Ferguson, 16, 5168 Ogden avenue, and Herbert Sullivan, 15, of 5480 West North avenue.

Mrs. Madgers was defiant when she was led into the Oak Park station; so defiant that she bit the thumb of a policeman who started to search her for weapons. A little later she was confronted with Charley and Elmer and turned her wrath on them.

Such Ungrateful Pupils.

"So that's all I can teach you," she said scornfully. "I took you when you didn't have a dime and taught you how to make a living. And then you little fools, you go and disobey orders. You never were any good."

SHE HOPES TO SPANK ERRING BANDIT-PUPILS

Boys Spurn Canons of
Art; Get Pinched.

(Picture on back page.)

When, or if, they all get out of jail Mrs. Ida Madgers, 30, is going to spank two of the four youthful bandits she has been training in the fine art of robbery for the last year.

The boys, one 16 and the other 14, violated three of the cardinal precepts she had drilled into them as well as if she used blackboard, ruler, and example for more than a year.

First they went out on an unauthorized stickup.

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There was further testimony from the two nurses regarding a discolored eye and bruise on Miss Enders' lip. Miss Irwin said she had noticed the bruises, but could not tell if they had been there when the young woman was admitted to the hospital.

The physician at various other times had been questioned in regard to deaths in his hospital and investigations have been made. His lawyer yesterday did not know whether the doctor would testify, but said witnesses for him would be presented.

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OBSTACLE FOUND TO SPECIAL CALL OF LEGISLATURE

G. O. P. Leaders Explain
Small's Dilemma.

BY JAMES DOHERTY.

There will be no special session of the legislature this winter and there will be a state-wide primary election in April, according to opinions given yesterday by Attorney General Oscar Carstrom and Homer Galpin, chairman of the Republican county committee.

The recess of the Supreme court on Wednesday without a decision on the primary law was followed by a report Gov. Small would call the legislature into session within a few days, but later advice indicated the contrary, it was said.

Gov. Small's position is embarrassing to him, the Cook county leaders believe, and they expressed doubts of the governor's ability to procure the passage of a new law in time for the choosing of candidates in April, if he wished to do so.

Affront to Court Seen

But the bar to a call, Attorney General Carstrom pointed out, is the fact that the question of the validity of the primary law "is in the bosom of the court" and it would be an affront to the justices for the governor to presume they will decide the case either way. The call would necessarily be on the assumption the Supreme court will rule the present primary law unconstitutional, he said.

Another circumstance to the governor, the Cook county Republican leaders suggested, is that the quo warranto matter is also in the "bosom of the court." At the headquarters of the Thompson-Crowe-Galpin organization it was said this situation puts the governor in the position of not knowing whether ouster proceedings are to be commenced against him, and he cannot act with any certainty until the Supreme court does decide.

The quo warranto proceedings are a test of the validity of the "Small bill" at the last session in which the governor had the law amended to provide that no court in the state could declare him ineligible to hold the office of governor because of his indebtedness to the state. A settlement of the state's suit against the governor compels him to refund \$554,000 to the state from interest earnings during his term as state treasurer.

Awaits February Court Term.
The views expressed yesterday were that with this case still in the courts the governor is in the position of not being able to declare himself a candidate for a third term until his right to finish his present term is settled. Consequently, while the governor might have the desire to call the assembly, politicians believe he will not.

It was the belief of both Galpin and Carstrom that the Supreme court's decision without a decision also will act as a form of stay in the injunction suit credited to the Brennan Democracy. They said Judge Harry Fisher had not entered the order enjoining the holding of an April primary, and that customary procedure for judges is to hold in abeyance any subject matter which is being considered by the Supreme court.

So, Galpin said, the Thompson-Crowe-Galpin organization is making plans for an April primary. State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe and Mayor Thompson said they had no preference—primary or convention for next year's nominations—and whichever it is to be, they will be prepared.

Ten Military Prisoners to Get Christmas Pardons

Washington, D. C., Dec. 22.—(AP)—Ten military prisoners, whose names are not divulged, will receive Christmas pardons. Five have been serving sentences at the disciplinary barracks at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.; two at Fort Jay, N. Y.; two at Alcatraz Island, San Francisco; and one at the Federal penitentiary, McNeil Island, Washington.

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COOLIDGE IS MADE THE HERO OF POPULAR SONG —G. O. P. CLUB DOES IT

New York, Dec. 22.—(Special).—A higher honor than medals, resolutions, speeches of praise, namesakes or gifts of gratitude has been bestowed on the President of the United States. He has been made the hero of a popular song and may take his place in immortality along with "Mammy," "Yankee Doodle," "Dear Old Pal of Mine" and "Lord Jeffrey Amherst."

The Young Republican club of New York did it.

To-night for the first time the awe-inspiring words, "O, Coolidge, Cal Coolidge," is the name in our nation's hall of fame "rang through the open spaces of the Republican club."

Samuel C. Coleman, assistant United States attorney, accompanied on the piano by his brother, Aaron E. Coleman, gave a solo interpretation of the song.

Our President, Cal Coolidge, on the job in Washington.
Keeps his firm hand upon the wheel:
To serve us in the White House, he's our country's favorite son.

How secure all the people feel!
You may talk about your Lincoln, your A. B. and all the rest!
They are names that time can never dim.
And compared with other leaders Calvin Coolidge stands the test.
That's the reason why the people stand by him!

CHORUS.
O, Coolidge, Cal Coolidge, is the name in our nation's hall of fame;
O, Coolidge, Cal Coolidge, you're the man the people all acclaim.

Our President, Cal Coolidge, is the man who fills the bill.
As the nation has learned to see!
And every loyal American gives a mighty cheer.

As he safeguards our liberty!
As he works for efficiency!
For the rights of all the people Coolidge fights with all his might.
Always true to our God, White and Red,
As we have prosperity, so let us thank Economy
And the loyal pals of Cal in Congress, too!

**ORDERS POLICE
EXPLAIN ARREST
OF BOND TODAY**
Capt. Luke Gayrick of Town Hall police and two police lieutenants have been ordered to appear before Municipal Judge Daniel P. Trude this afternoon to explain the arrest of A. T. Bond, investigator for the Illinois Vigilance society, while he was bathing in his home, 4099 Sheridan road, on Nov. 11.

Should the testimony of these officers confirm his belief that Bond was illegally arrested, Judge Trude declared that those in authority at the time of the arrest may be cited for contempt of court or that basis for suit against the authorities may be given to Bond.

Judge Trude said he wants to find out why Bond was arrested at 1 o'clock in the morning without a citizen's complaint.

CAPONE, 4 AIDS FINED \$2,601 IN JOLIET COURTS

Plead Guilty on Charges
of Carrying Guns.

Al Capone, Chicago gang leader, and four of his lieutenants pleaded guilty to charges of gun toting in two court appearances in Joliet last night and paid maximum fines amounting to \$2,601.

In addition a Joliet street corner Santa Claus of the Salvation Army clanged his bell with renewed vigor while fingering a crisp new \$10 note that Capone dropped with a characteristic flourish into his alms kettle.

Both the court cases had been continued from last Friday when Capone stepped off a Santa Fe train from California at Joliet only to fall into the hands of Chief of Police John Connelan.

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The gang leader and four of his lieutenants who had motored to Joliet to meet him were all found by the chief to be armed with automatics.

Pay Visit to Bond Prisoner.
Arriving in Joliet yesterday, Capone and his friends first paid a visit to the quarters of Tony Augustino, head of the local hood carriers' union. Augustino had furnished bonds for the crowd.

Then, newspaper reporters and a crowd of curious at his heels, Capone led his friends over to face a secret hearing before Police Magistrate John J. Nicholson. Here Capone, according to the magistrate, paid fines of \$1,000 and costs.

Next Capone and the others were arraigned before Circuit Judge Fred R. Adams for violation of the state gun law. Here, as in the secret hearing before Judge Nicholson, they all pleaded guilty and were each assessed fines of \$300 and costs.

"Maybe this will be a lesson to you," remarked Judge Adams.

Makes Promise to Judge.
"Yes, judge, it certainly will," smiled Capone, peeling from his roll a new \$1,000 bill and several \$100 bills. "I'll never tote a gun again in Joliet."

"Here's your change, Mr. Capone," cut in Clerk Albin Delander, shoving \$10.20 over to the gangster.

Capone smiled again, shoving the money back.
"Just drop it in the Salvation Army

ellow's bottle out there and tell him Al Capone sent it," he said.

Capone made light of an attempted surveillance over his movements by Chicago police since he returned from California.

Hunt Three in Murder.
Three men were being sought last night by Capt. Albert Christensen of the Warren avenue police for the murder of Frank Noonan, owner of the Subway, 2383 West Lake street, Frank Smith, one of the three sought, was named as his assailant by Noonan before he died at Washington Boulevard hospital.

Walter McComb, alleged beer peddler, who was questioned in connection with the \$7,000,000 mail robbery at Rondout, Ill., and Paul Swain are the other two sought. McComb and Swain are said to be close friends of Smith.

Five men were held to the grand jury on charges of assault to murder by Municipal Judge Helander in the Chicago avenue court in connection with the killing of a waiter at the Pandey cafe on Dec. 5.

DELAY HEARINGS ON ARBITRATION OF CAR WAGES

Arbitration hearings on demands of Chicago street car men for a 15 cents an hour increase were postponed yesterday until next Wednesday morning after the delay was mutually agreed upon by the two arbiters, Guy A. Richardson, operating chief of the surface lines, and Ald. Oscar F. Nelson, vice president of the Chicago Federation of Labor.

The postponement gave rise to rumors that a settlement had been reached between the arbiters.

Ald. Nelson denied the settlement rumors. He said that he and Mr. Richardson disagreed on several points which would have to be taken up with the members of the operating board of the surface lines and with the union representatives.

"We are just as far from a settlement now as we were at the first arbitration hearing of several days ago," said the alderman.

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DAILY TELEGRAPH LONDON SOLD BIG SYNDICATE

Lord Burnham Transfers
Paper to Berries.

BY JOHN STEELE.
[Special Tribune Press Service.]
LONDON, Dec. 22.—The following statement will appear in the Daily Telegraph tomorrow:
The proprietors of the Daily Telegraph, of whom Lord Burnham is the senior, have made arrangements for the sale of the paper to a syndicate of investors. The new proprietors are Mr. Gomer Berry and Sir Edward Baring. The new proprietors are to take over the paper from Jan. 1, 1928. This date has been fixed in view of Lord Burnham's departure for India on the new statutory commission.

No Change in Policy.
The change in the political policy of the paper is involved in the transaction. Lord Burnham is a member of the House of Lords and the traditions and standards of the paper, which has belonged to the family for three generations, will be maintained by its new proprietors.

Mr. William Ewart Berry and his son, Gomer Berry, are the largest newspaper owners in England. Their rise to power has been remarkable, their first important newspaper acquisition being twelve years ago when they acquired the London Daily Times and the leading financial daily, the Financial Times.

Their new control Allied Newspapers, which includes the Sunday Express and several important Sunday papers published in Manchester, the Daily Sketch, a daily picture paper printed simultaneously in London and Manchester, a host of weekly papers, and Allied Northern News, which include important Spot and North England dailies and others.

Makes \$40,000,000 Purchase.
The master coup was the purchase for \$40,000,000 (\$40,000,000) of the syndicated Press—printing more than fifty weekly and monthly periodicals in London—from Lord Rotham.

Mr. Chauncey McCormick, with Flu, Is Improving.
The condition of Mrs. Chauncey McCormick, who has been seriously ill of pneumonia at her home, 2459 Lake View, for several days, was reported much improved last night. Mrs. McCormick, who is heirless to the vast estate, had planned to visit her mother, Mrs. Charles Deering, at Lake Park, shortly after the holidays.

BY HENRY CASE, MAY BEK.
An 86-year-old, 4041 North Elston, was probably fatally injured when he was knocked down by a street car and found for a distance of twenty feet on the sidewalk last night at Clark street and Lake street.

1 DEAD, 2 HURT AS STREET CAR AND AUTO CRASH

3 Fatalities Raise 1927
Toll to 961.

One man was fatally and two others seriously injured last night when the automobile in which they were riding crashed into a 75th street car at Exchange avenue. Michael Wron, 36, 4205 Ivy street, Indiana Harbor, Ind., died early this morning at Jackson Park hospital, where it was said that the other two probably would die. They are Jack Hannon, 36, and Michael Walsh, 33, also of Indiana Harbor. A fourth member of the party, Fred Hyde, an electrician of Indiana Harbor, was taken into custody by the police.

Toll Is Raised to 961.
Wron's death and two others raised Cook county's 1927 motor toll to 961. George Zenitta Jr., 5 years old, 185 Kensington avenue, was killed when the automobile in which he was riding with his father, a grocer, crashed through the crossing gates of the

accident. Other motorists picked up Morrison, who was a former police magistrate at Barrington, and took him to a hospital.
Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad at Stewart avenue and 111th street and was struck by a passenger train. The father escaped injury.
Lodore Brown, 71 years old, 2661 Granshaw street, who was struck by an automobile on Nov. 1, died from the effects of his injuries and from pneumonia which developed after the accident.

Killed in McHenry County.
Charles H. Morrison, 65, of Barrington, was killed last night when he was struck by an automobile on the Northwest highway in McHenry county, four miles from his home. The driver of the car fled after the accident. Two sisters, students at the Hyde Park High school, and three young men were injured when their automobile skidded and overturned near Miller, Ind., yesterday while the girls were en route to New York for a sorority convention. The girls, Estelle and Ruth Weinberger, 17 and 15 years old, of 7640 Essex avenue, suffered internal injuries. Their companions, who were out and bruised, were M. L. Rubin, 21 years old, a student at the University of Michigan; his brother, Ed, 19 years old, and Eugene Kesper, 18 years old, 7640 Essex avenue.



Christmas Dinner

In accordance with long established custom, Christmas dinner at Henric's will be upon the sensible and satisfactory a la carte plan. The dinner menu, superlative in quality and generous of portion, will be in service from early noon to late in the evening and it will be followed by an a la carte late supper menu also of special merit.

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Baking Powder

12 oz. pkg. **20c**

Old Style Meat	1 lb.	39c
RAISINS	Per lb.	9c
BRICK FIGS	5 oz. Pkg.	8c
DATES	10 oz. Can.	21c
PLUM PUDDING	4 oz. Can.	10c
PLUM PUDDING	1 lb. Can.	27c
FRUIT CAKE	1 lb. Can.	\$1.70
OLIVES	5 oz. Can.	14c
OLIVES	1 lb. Can.	16c
SWEET GHERKINS	1 lb. Can.	30c
POP CORN	10 oz. Can.	10c
PIE CRUST	Per lb.	35c
PRESERVES	10 oz. Can.	25c
JELLY	5 oz. Jar.	17c

CANDY	
CHOCOLATES	1 lb. 40c, 1/2 lb. 96c
MARSHMALLOWS	12 oz. Can. 25c
SPICED JELLY DROPS	1 lb. 39c
PEANUT BRITTLE	1 lb. 25c
HARD AND FILLED	1 lb. 19c

COOKIES	
GINGER SNAPS	1 lb. 12c
TAFFY BARS	1 lb. 18c
FRUIT COOKIES	1 lb. 18c
FORM CAKES	1 lb. 25c

GINGER ALE	Per bottle	15c
GRAPE JUICE	Per bottle	22c
CIDER	Per bottle	77c
CHOCOLATE	1/2 lb. Can.	20c
BROWN SUGAR	Per lb.	8c
CORN	No. 2	15c
SIFTED PEAS	No. 2	12 1/2c
ASPARAGUS	1/2 lb. Can.	17c
PINEAPPLE	No. 2 1/2 Can.	25c
PEACHES	No. 2 1/2 Can.	25c
LOBSTER	1 lb. Can.	29c
CHILI SAUCE	12 oz. Bottle	30c
CATSUP	17 oz. Bottle	19c
MAYONNAISE	1 lb. Can.	22c

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ITALY'S POLITICS DARROW THEME IN MURDER TRIAL

Crowd New York Court to
Hear Chicagoan.

New York, Dec. 22.—[Special.]—Clarence Darrow, Chicago attorney, chief defense counsel in the trial of Calogero Greco and Donato Carillo for the murder of Joseph Caroli last Memorial day, told a jury in Bronx county court today that the prosecution of the defendants was the result of a "Fascist frame up." He said the state was trying to "make the two men pay with their lives for their hatred of tyranny."

Mussolini was pronounced "but another name for despotism," by Mr. Darrow, who also said "poor Italy" had had only "its first baptism of fire."

There was wide interest in both the trial and in the Chicago man's address. Mr. Darrow spoke for more than two hours, during which no one was permitted to enter or leave the courtroom. Special policemen, stationed about the building, stopped many who had come especially to hear the attorney who figured in the Scopes evolution case in Tennessee and in the Leopold-Loeb murder trial in Chicago.

Devoted to Lawyers' Summaries. Practically the entire day was devoted to the summing up by Mr. Darrow and Arthur Garfield Hays, for the defense, and by the assistant district attorney for the prosecution.

"You have the life or death of two men in your hands," said Mr. Darrow to the jury.

"Which, in my opinion, is a responsibility greater than any jury should ever have. There is no particle of evidence in this case outside the halting identification of the defendants. Yet they are asking you to make them pay with their lives for their hatred of tyranny. The indictment is for conspiracy, yet there has been no word of conspiracy in the evidence."

Says Motive in Italy's Politics. "Alexander Rocco [Fascist organizer who identified Greco and Carillo] is the only witness in whom the state can place any reliance. But he had a motive. Rocco is intensely interested in a cause, for don't forget this modern czar [Mussolini] is covered with a glamor that appeals to some Italians."

SCHOOL LAWYER ASKS M'ANDREW SOME QUESTIONS

Frank S. Righesimer, attorney for the board of education, unable to cross-examine William McAndrew on charges of being insubordinate and disseminating pro-British propaganda because the suspended superintendent has refused to attend his trial, yesterday made public a questionnaire addressed to Mr. McAndrew in an effort to cross-examine the defendant out of court.

In a statement Wednesday Mr. McAndrew defended the 100 per cent system of pupil tests adopted under his administration. The questionnaire was designed as a reply to Mr. McAndrew.

"Is it not a fact," Mr. Righesimer asks, "that the Principals' club appointed a special committee to advise you that it was their opinion that your so-called testing was obsolete and a waste of time and that its obvious purpose was to advertise the superintendent?"

"Why the silence on the subject of un-American histories?" was another question.

I don't like bloodshed. I don't even like war, but I fear poor Italy has only had its first baptism of fire; that there is more ahead of her than there is behind her.

"Fascism was born in bloodshed. It put to a vote nine out of every ten persons in this country would have refused to permit the fascists to parade in their black shirts and with their flags bearing the death mark of those who have placed in power one who does not believe in liberty."

Mr. Darrow ridiculed the state's entire case and said the prosecution had tried to dress up Greco in a cap so that he would look something like the man seen running from the scene of the crime. He then bitterly attacked police and district attorney methods of getting so-called "statements" from men accused of crime.

Points to Facts in Charges. Mr. Darrow pointed out that the evidence had shown Carillo at the Decoration day parade, actually saluting the man seen running from the scene of the crime. He then bitterly attacked police and district attorney methods of getting so-called "statements" from men accused of crime.

"If you can take the lives of these men on this foolish thing the state calls evidence," concluded Mr. Darrow, "then human life is cheaper here than it is in Italy. Of course, these defendants hate the regime in Italy, as all men do, and they had the courage to say so."

Judge Albert Cohn will begin his charge to the jury tomorrow morning and the jury will begin its deliberations in the afternoon.

WOMAN DIES IN BARRACKS FOR STRIKING MINERS

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 22.—[AP.]—The death of a woman today in a barracks erected at Acmeville by the United Mine Workers for families of striking coal miners of the Consumers Mining company's Hammarville mine brought conflicting statements from the union and the company. The woman, Mrs. Joseph Lubrecky, died of pneumonia.

"The woman's death was due to exposure from being evicted from a company house," said Philip Murray, vice president of the union. "She was very ill at the time of the evictions last Thursday, and a little graciousness on the part of the company might have prevented her death."

R. G. Bostwick, counsel for the company, informed of Murray's statement, declared there were no evictions at Hammarville, but that the miners vacated the company houses voluntarily under an agreement reached between counsel for the company and the union.

"One man said his wife was sick and we told him to stay in the house until she got well," Bostwick said. "Had the company known of any other cases of sickness similar permission would have been given."

BURNED BY CLEANING FLUID. Mrs. Margaret Dostal, 23 years old, 1921 East 78th street, was in a serious condition at Jackson Park hospital last night from burns received when a cleaning mixture exploded in her home.

SENATE LEADERS PLAN TO DELAY TAX REDUCTIONS

Washington, D. C., Dec. 22.—[Special.]—Rather than permit the passage of a bill reducing taxes beyond the \$225,000,000 limit fixed by President Coolidge and Secretary of the Treasury Mellon administration leaders in the senate are talking of delaying action as long as possible in the finance committee.

Under the terms of the \$225,000,000 tax cut bill passed by the house, the reduction in the tax on corporation earnings from 13 1/2 to 11 1/2 per cent would be effective on 1927 earnings, on which returns are to be filed on March 15, 1928.

The administration favors this retroactive provision, but only if the total reduction is held down close to the \$225,000,000 limit.

If a majority of the members of the finance committee are disposed to approve reductions greater than favored by the treasury the administration leaders may seek to hold the bill in committee until too late to make the cut effective on this year's earnings.

In any event it is likely that there will be an effort to keep the bill in committee until well into February.

The chief purpose of delaying action will be to await until it becomes apparent what expenditures are to be approved by congress at this season. The uncertainties include various new projects such as flood control, a naval construction program, Boulder canon dam, and farm relief.

WINDOW WASHER FALLS TO DEATH. John Miller, 56 years old, 5210 South Albany avenue, a window washer, was fatally injured in a fall from the second floor at 5575 Elmwood street yesterday.

TWO CHILDREN DIE IN FIRE AS MOTHER SHOPS

Elvira and Angelina Perez are no longer waiting for Santa Claus. Yesterday their mother, Mrs. Julia Perez, looked them in the bedroom of their home at 4600 South Laffin street when she went to do some shopping. When she returned, the two children were burned to death beside the charred remains of their Christmas toys.

Shortly after noon, Frank Palencia, 4511 South Laffin street, and Daniel Alhos, 4509 South Laffin, noticed flames in the windows of the Perez home and rushed in. The interior was in flames and they were able to rescue only Julia, 3 months old, from her cradle near the kitchen door.

Elvira, 4 years old, and Angelina, 3, were dead when Capt. John McCloskey carried them out after the arrival of the first piece of fire apparatus. Mrs. Perez expressed a belief that the children had been playing with matches.

Mrs. Margaret Dostal, 20 years old, was seriously burned yesterday afternoon when her clothing caught fire while she was cleaning a dress with naphtha on the porch of her home at 1925 East 78th street.

INSANE CRIPPLE SHOT DOWN AS HE KILLS WOMAN

Brunswick, Me., Dec. 22.—[AP.]—The wild flight of Raymond Pett, 23, a crippled man, from anticipated restraint in an asylum ended today with a woman dead and four persons injured. He was captured after he had been wounded by shots poured through a barricaded door.

Pett yesterday shot his parents and his mother is in a critical condition. A deputy sheriff fell and suffered a fractured skull as he was about to close with Pett.

Pett, who eluded officers for twenty-four hours, despite his artificial feet, which left a marked trail, was not seriously wounded.

The search ended in a lonely farmhouse in Topsham, where he had beaten to death with a rolling pin. Harbored in an upstairs room, he surrendered to National Guardsmen, citizens' posse, and police deputies only after a broadside of bullets had been poured through the door.

The man's father, who was shot in the face, and Fireman Le Tarte, who suffered a leg sprain in the chase, were the two less seriously injured.

1ST CITY BUDGET DRAFT IS ONLY \$500,000 SHORT

Finishing its first draft of the 1928 city budget late last night, the city council finance committee found that it had appropriated only approximately \$500,000 more than the estimated revenues for the year.

The aldermen were happy over the smallness of the figure, as in past years it has ranged from \$3,000,000 to \$4,000,000. It will be a comparatively simple matter to slash down the appropriations to \$5,700,000, the amount City Controller Fitzsimmons estimates can be spent, the committee men said.

Action on all requests for pay increases was deferred until Feb. 1, when the board of review reports its tax figures. Meanwhile a survey of department requests will be made, including those for 3,000 new policemen and 1,000 new firemen, and if more money is available it will be appropriated in a supplemental "baby" budget at that time.

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DR. KEGEL OUSTS HEALTH OFFICIAL; EXPECT SHAKEUP

U. of C. Man Dismissed by New Dept. Chief.

Dismissing Dr. L. S. Falk as director of the division of surveys, Health Commissioner Arnold H. Kegel yesterday made the first change in the personnel of the city health department since he was named to succeed Dr. Herman N. Bundesen three weeks ago.

Dr. Falk's ouster, it was understood, will be followed within a few days by the ouster of several other division and bureau chiefs in the department. A wholesale shuffle of jobs that will give Dr. Kegel an almost entirely new staff. At least one assistant commissioner, it was understood, will be replaced.

Dr. Falk had held the post of director of surveys since Jan. 1, 1926, drawing a salary of \$3,600 a year. He is also an instructor in bacteriology on the faculty of the University of Chicago.

Because of his outside work, Dr. Falk spent only one morning a week in the health department, Dr. Kegel explained. "It is for the good of the department, I believe, to replace him with a full time man." The commissioner said he had not yet chosen a new physician for the position.

The real and immediate occasion for

CRUISER FIRES ON RUM SHIP, BUT IS FOILED BY STORM

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 22.—(A.P.)—A naval engagement in a blinding snowstorm, the customs cruiser Margaret and a suspected rum runner, the Marion L. Mason, brought moral victory to the cruiser, but resulted in the escape of the rum ship. It was revealed today.

Sighting the rum runner in the St. Lawrence river, the Margaret gave chase, came aboard, and ordered the vessel to halt. The commander of the Marion L. Mason held to his course. A radio to Ottawa brought permission for the cruiser to use force, but several shots fired from the rum ship's bow failed to halt it.

The Margaret's only recourse was to ram the smaller vessel, but Capt. Coffin of the cruiser refused to do so, fearing loss of life to the Marion L. Mason's crew. The rum ship disappeared in the storm, headed for the Newfoundland coast.

Dr. Falk's dismissal, it was said, was a paper he had prepared for publication citing statistics purporting to show a reduction of tuberculosis under Dr. Bundesen's regime. Some of the statistics the commissioner believed to be misinterpreted in behalf of his predecessor and he called on Dr. Falk for an accounting. In the clash which followed Dr. Falk resigned.

In line with Mayor Thompson's policy of choosing Chicagoans for city jobs, Dr. Kegel in the predicted shakeup is expected to release several employees brought in from out of the city by Dr. Bundesen, it was said. Included among them, according to the reports, will be three or four who, like Dr. Falk, are associated with the University of Chicago.

SEIZE CLERK, ROB OAK PARK STORE OF \$25,000 GEMS

Jewelry valued at from \$25,000 to \$30,000 was stolen early yesterday from the store of Holley Boyson, 123 North Oak Park avenue, by three men who kidnaped Andrew Moller, a clerk, and compelled him to open the doors and furnish them the combination to the safe.

Moller, who lives at 261 South Euclid avenue, Oak Park, told the police he was on his way home from work late Wednesday evening when he was seized by the armed trio at Euclid avenue and South boulevard. When they left the store Moller said he heard them say they had everything they wanted. Keeping his hat jammed over his eyes so that he would be unable to recognize them, the robbers then took

Moller to a lonely spot in Berwyn, where they tossed him out. The police held Moller for questioning. Boyson said he was unable to understand how the robbers got hold of certain valuable gems that he had secreted in the store. Six men entered the men's furnishings store of William Clark, at 3143 West 31st street, Chicago, early yesterday and after locking a clerk in a rear room carried all the stock, valued at \$7,000, to a truck and hauled it away. The robbery occurred in daylight.

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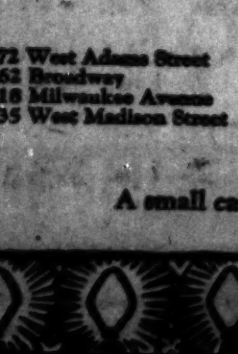
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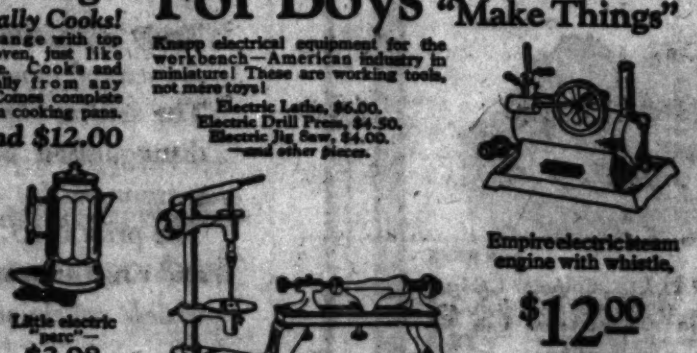
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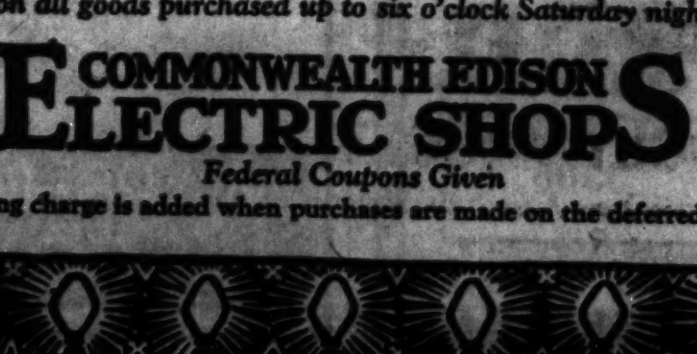
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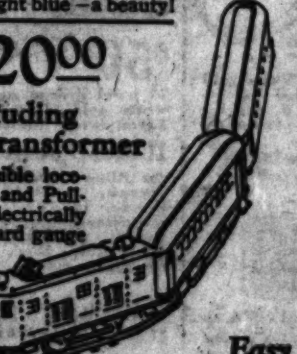
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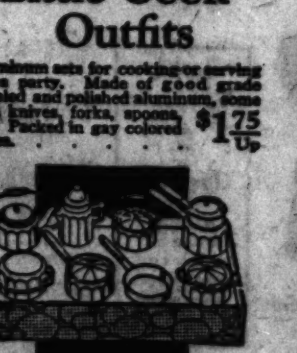
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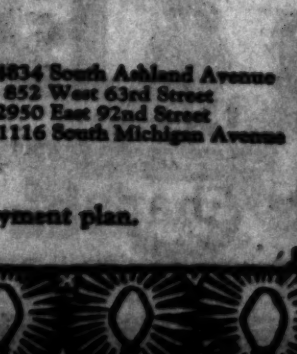
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W. R. Hearst Replies to Senator Norris

STATEMENT BY WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST.
(From Tuesday's N. Y. American)

It is not necessary to reply to Senator Norris' hysterical and vituperative statement in kind. I might state, however, that if Senator Norris is anxious to establish the truth, he might begin by telling the truth, a thing that he has distinctly refrained from doing throughout his whole statement.

The plain facts of this whole Mexican matter are that these Mexican documents are apparently quite authentic, and that no proof whatever has been produced of their lack of authenticity.

They were first heard of in Mexico by a thoroughly reputable and reliable American citizen, resident in Mexico, whose name has been given to the committee, but is not given here on account of possible consequences to him and his family at the hands of the Mexican Government. This American citizen had no interest whatever in pursuing the documents except to learn facts which indicated an effort of the Mexican Government to interfere with the plans and processes of the Government of the United States and with the welfare of the people of the United States.

This American citizen, resident in Mexico, communicated with Mr. Edward H. Clark, a perfectly well known business man of importance in New York, suggesting that a further knowledge of these papers be secured and their contents exposed to the knowledge of the American people through my publications.

When authorized to proceed, this American, consulting with Mr. John Page, correspondent of the International News Service, decided to employ the most capable and trustworthy investigator that he could find in Mexico, and secured the services of an American citizen of Mexican descent, Mr. Avila, a man who had served honorably in the military secret service department of the United States, and after some years of service had been honorably discharged and had received the following most extraordinary letter of commendation from his superior:

HEADQUARTERS, LAREDO DISTRICT,
District Intelligence Officer,
Alexander Building, Laredo, Texas.
Sept. 27, 1919.

From Captain John J. Gallagher, A. S. A.,
District Intelligence Officer, Laredo, Texas.

To Whom It May Concern:

Subject—Recommendation.

1. I take pleasure in being accorded the opportunity to offer a few words of commendation in behalf of Mr. Miguel R. Avila's splendid service rendered this office while I have been the District Intelligence Officer of Laredo District.

2. Mr. Avila is a young man of excellent character, and entirely subordinate at all times. He is conscientious and faithful in the performance of all duties. I unhesitatingly recommend him for any position of great responsibility where his many desirable qualifications are absolutely necessary and so essential in any duties of importance.

3. I take pleasure in offering this voluntary recommendation in behalf of Mr. Miguel R. Avila as I am about to be transferred elsewhere for duty.

JOHN J. GALLAGHER,
Captain, A. S. A.

Every care therefore was taken in this case to secure accuracy and reliability.

Mr. Avila proceeded promptly to approach Government clerks and to obtain a view of the documents in the files.

He reported back to the American citizen above mentioned and to Mr. John Page that the documents were there and that for the payment of a comparatively small sum of money he could obtain them.

He was authorized to obtain the documents, he did obtain them and delivered them to the above-mentioned American citizen and Mr. John Page.

Whereupon they exhibited the documents immediately to Ambassador Sheffield, and the conclusion arrived at was that the documents were authentic on their face and that there was nothing about them to contradict the report of Mr. Avila as to how and when he had obtained them.

The documents were then submitted to the counsel of the Embassy, Mr. Shenfield, and he was of a similar opinion, but advised that careful comparisons should be made with known signatures of President Calles, which comparison was made and tended to convince all parties interested of the authenticity of the signatures.

The documents were then brought by Mr. John Page and the American citizen before mentioned to New York and submitted to Mr. Edward H. Clark, and by these three gentlemen submitted to me.

I asked and was told what effort had been made to establish the authenticity of the documents beyond reasonable question, and I suggested that the documents be submitted further to the President of the United States, then at his Summer residence in South Dakota.

Mr. Clark took the documents to President Coolidge.

Mr. Clark found Ambassador Sheffield at the Coolidge home in South Dakota, and found the President sufficiently familiar with the details of the documents.

The President was unwilling to become further acquainted with the details, but said soundly that it should be remembered that the Senators mentioned undoubtedly never received the funds alluded to, and that the entries in the documents might possibly have been made with the object of camouflaging other disposition of those funds.

This suggestion was in harmony with the opinion that I had already expressed to the American citizen who obtained the documents and to Mr. John Page, and I determined not to print the names of the Senators mentioned in the documents, nor of any of the individuals implicated in the documents, but to leave the question of whether those names should be made public to any Governmental body that might be interested in the documents.

The question may here properly be discussed as to whether this was the right course to pursue or whether any other course would have been a wiser course to pursue.

I might have, in the first place, refrained from publishing any of the documents, in which case, my possession of the documents being known, I would eventually have been accused by persons as careless of facts as Senator Norris, of having been too cowardly and too concerned for my property interests in Mexico to have revealed facts through the medium of my newspapers, which affected the welfare of the American people, and which the American people had a right to be acquainted with.

In the second place, I might have printed some of the documents and suppressed others, in which case I could have been accused of suppression of the facts or perversion of the facts to suit my own prejudices or opinions.

In the third place, I might have interviewed the Senators mentioned and published their explanations in my newspapers, but I could not see, and cannot now see, how denials made in my newspapers would have any superior force or effect over denials made by them under oath before a Governmental body.

Moreover, such a course would have necessitated the publication of the Senators' names, and I was in no way adequately informed of the probable course of the Government, and as to

whether it ever would be considered necessary or desirable by the Government to make public the Senators' names.

Therefore, I mentioned no individuals, but merely printed the documents deleted of names, and left the determination of that important point for the Government.

But I did print an editorial voicing my opinion and the opinion of President Coolidge; namely, that in all known probability no penny had ever reached the Senators mentioned, and that these entries might have been made to camouflage the diversion or perversion of funds to other purposes.

I held these documents for five months, carefully considering what was the best course to pursue and what was the most considerate course to pursue.

I finally decided upon the policy I adopted, and in reviewing the situation after the event I cannot see how I could have decided properly upon any other policy.

During the five months in which I held these documents, additional efforts were continually made to substantiate their authenticity.

The two clerks who delivered the original documents to Mr. Avila and to Mr. Page and the American business man above mentioned became apprehensive of their situation and left the country, carrying with them a general gathering of additional documents relating more or less definitely to the original documents, and arrived at San Antonio, Tex.

These documents were also secured by Mr. Page and the American business man above mentioned, and they turned in their detail and in the variety of their reference further to confirm the authenticity of the original group of documents. Finally, in New York City, after the lapse of some five months, some additional documents were discovered in the office of Mexican Consul-General Elias, half-brother of President Calles, which dove-tailed with the two sets of documents already secured and tended in every elaboration further to confirm the authenticity of those documents.

And it was only when the authenticity of the documents became almost overwhelmingly established that publication began.

When publication began, I expected that the Congress of the United States, then about to convene, would take immediate notice of matters of such importance to the welfare of the people of the United States as the general distribution of the shrewish propaganda by the Mexican Government in the United States and as the outrageous action of the Mexican Government in supporting with money and with arms and with every possible influence, the revolution in Nicaragua against the elected and constituted government of Nicaragua, which government the United States was supporting in accordance with the treaties entered into between the United States and the Central American States, as President Coolidge has explained in his message.

I thought, too, that the Congress of the United States would take notice of the appropriation indicated in these documents of \$100,000 authorized by President Calles to be paid to the Brazilian arbitrator of claims, especially when the people of the United States and the Government of the United States had been outraged by the unjust decision of that arbitrator, which deprived American citizens of hundreds of millions of dollars undoubtedly their due.

I thought, too, that the Congress of the United States would be interested in the intimate relations maintained between the Bolshevik government of Mexico and the Bolshevik government of Russia, and in the efforts of the Mexican Government to support financially and morally social uprisings and revolutionary movements in other parts of the world, notably in China and in the general coal strike in England.

I thought, too, that the Congress of the United States would be interested in the draft of a secret treaty between Mexico and Japan, under which Japanese were invited to colonize in Mexico and in Nicaragua, under the expressed provision that they would be available in time of war, and with very probable intention—when combined with the support of the revolutionary movement in Nicaragua—of nullifying the interests of the United States in the Nicaraguan Canal, and eventually securing the control of that canal for Mexico and Japan.

But no interest was manifested by Congress in these matters which affected merely the public welfare and nothing in the way of activity in Congress occurred until the so-called Senatorial letters were printed.

There remains to be discussed only the question of motives.

It is true, as Mr. Norris said and as I told the committee that I have property valued at approximately four million dollars in Mexico, which I had possessed in peace and security through the friendship and favor of the Mexican Government. Certainly nobody but a perfect jackass—and Senator Norris is not that—at least not a perfect one—could imagine that my property holdings were benefited by losing the friendship and favor of the Mexican Government.

As a matter of fact, in publishing these documents I was strong probability—in fact, the near certainty—that my properties would be confiscated at the earliest possible moment by the Mexican Government.

In fact, a Mexican subsidized newspaper, The Examiner, already accuses me, according to the New York Herald Tribune of Monday morning, of land plots and conspiracies, and is probably the preliminary to some trumped-up procedure directed at the ultimate confiscation of these properties.

However, I can stand the loss of these properties. The publication of the Mexican documents better than I have have stood the loss of my self-respect through the suppression of these documents out of consideration for my own interests rather than the interests of my fellow American citizens.

Finally, as to the alleged evil motive in endeavoring to reflect upon the insurgents in the Senate through the publication of these documents, that seems to me to be the most insane statement that can be picked out of Senator Norris' whole heap of misrepresentation and billingsgate.

My papers have always been in the main supporters of the insurgent group of Senators.

Senator Borah I have had occasion to support and commend probably more than any man in the Senate.

I do not know that I have ever supported Senator Norris, but then I cannot recall that he has ever done anything worth supporting.

Young Senator La Follette declared in his statement before the committee that the Hearst papers were the strongest supporters that the Administration had.

I would like to tell Senator La Follette that the truth is that the Hearst papers are the strongest supporters his father ever had, and that when his father was being crucified during the war by false reports of his utterances in other newspapers, and when his expulsion from the Senate was even considered, the Hearst papers day in and day out stood loyally by him and denounced the falsehoods which occasioned the attack upon him, and declared that his utterances were patriotic in the light of his beliefs, and that in this free country no man should be so unjustly attacked for expressing opinions based on conviction of what was for the best interest of his fellow countrymen.

As a matter of fact, I am an insurgent myself, and have always been and always will be an insurgent against whatever seems to be contrary to the interests of our Government and the welfare of our people, and in sustaining those principles and that policy I published these Mexican documents, believing then and believing now that I did my simple duty, regardless of consequences to myself and considering merely the best benefit of the American people.

WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST

FEAR "BIG NAVY" BILL IS BLUFF FOR DISARMAMENT

Advocates to Ask Facts of Administration.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 22.—(Special.)—House advocates of a "big navy" plan to smoke out the budget committee after the holidays on the question of whether the \$725,000,000 construction bill is simply a "program" or whether funds are to be supplied for its completion on a continuing basis.

Representative Butler (Rep., Pa.) announced that Budget Director Lord will be called before his committee early in January and asked if he would plan to approve out of the act and from what source the funds are to be derived.

Four Bill Play for Disarmament.

"I want to find out whether this program is to be translated into ships or whether the bill sent to the Senate by Secretary Wilbur is just an advertisement which will be used for propaganda purposes in naval conferences rather than as a basis for building up the strengthening the navy," Butler said.

"The program laid out by Mr. Wilbur will cost a lot of money, not only to build, but also to maintain. I want to be sure that the administration is willing to build the ships according to a schedule and to maintain them also built before this committee acts."

There are many members in both the House and Senate who believe the case which empowers the President to suspend building at his discretion should be eliminated.

Give Leeway to President.

The clause was inserted to assure the President that in case a real emergency of naval armaments was possible through a change in circumstances in Great Britain he could suspend the program for as much of the present program as would not be in compliance with the terms of any new treaty arrived at.

Many dispatches from abroad have stated the cruiser program as simply a bluff. Naval officers here admitted the bill, once authorized, will give a strong card in the hands of the President should another naval construction program be proposed. Lack of a construction program is blamed by many naval officers for the failure to reach agreement at Geneva.

Secretary Wilbur is openly in favor of giving a five year limit on the new construction.

State Closes Murder Case

Against Pals of Fernekes

In state closed its case yesterday against Daniel McGeehan and Joseph Fernekes, who were once under suspicion of death with Henry J. (Big Boy) Fernekes. They were saved from the gallows by a reversal from the Supreme court, which excluded evidence from being tried. The men are charged with the murder on Dec. 29, 1925, of Michael Swionetkowski, treasurer of a building and loan association. James Farrell, an accomplice, was the chief witness for the state.

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MAGRUDER PROMISED FULL HEARING BEFORE HOUSE NAVAL GROUP

Camden, N. J., Dec. 22.—(AP)—Representative Charles A. Wolverton of Camden, member of the house committee on naval affairs, today issued a statement promising Rear Admiral Thomas P. Magruder, deposed commandant of the Philadelphia navy yard, "a full hearing" before the committee.

The statement explained the verbal exchange between Congressman Britten of Illinois, chairman of the committee, and Congressman Wolverton when Admiral Magruder was being heard Tuesday relative to his magazine articles advocating naval economy. The Camden representative said he objected to the chairman's assertion that the admiral "had not made a single constructive suggestion."

"It was a case of whether the chairman or I had the louder voice," Congressman Wolverton said. He asserted that Admiral Magruder "has filled important posts and is qualified to speak and make suggestions for the good of the naval service," and that judgment of him should be withheld until he has been fully heard.

CHEKA RAIDS ON MOSCOW STORES HALT YULE BUYING

(Chicago Tribune Press Service.)

RIGA, Latvia, Dec. 22.—Christmas shopping has suffered a heavy slump in Moscow, according to officials of the government co-operative and other state trade establishments, who have requested the government to withdraw the cheka (state political police) officials detailed to question purchasers in all the stores.

Buyers unable to prove that their purchases were intended to satisfy personal needs were arrested in the last week by the hundreds. About 1,300 customers were seized from Moscow, charged with re-selling purchases to peasants of villages in the Moscow district.

The newspaper Pravda frankly admits that different prices are charged the workers in the cities and peasants in the country. Individuals seeking to act as middlemen, competing with the village co-operative stores, clashed with speculators, who are considered economic counter-revolutionists.

In an effort to end this new type of trade, which has suddenly developed since the extreme shortage of foodstuffs in Moscow began two months ago, the government is rationing manufactures, and all persons caught making similar purchases in more than one store are being banished.

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Cream Cheese
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Walnuts
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You'll like this fancy mixture.
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Olives	Spanish Green	6 oz. Bottle	14c
Olives	Spanish Green	16 oz. Bottle	35c
Pickles	Hotels Old Fashioned	bottle	23c
Pop Corn	Little Buster	16 oz. Can	10c
Jelly	Pure Currant	9 oz. Jar	17c
Mince Meat	Home Sock	2 Pkgs.	25c
Aunt Mary's	Pie Crust	Pkg.	35c
Currants	Fancy Redwood	Pkg.	15c
Preserves	American Home Pure Fruit	16 oz. Can	25c

VEGETABLES		
Head Lettuce	Large Head	9c
Fancy Iceberg		
Potatoes	Peck	35c
Genuine Idaho Russets		
Sweet Potatoes		
Fancy Yellow	6 Lbs.	25c

CANDY		
Marshmallows	Campfire 10 oz. Can	25c
Sweet Girl	Spiced Jelly Drops 2 lb. Box	39c
Hershey	Chocolate Bars	Each 4c
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Fruit Pound Cake	Each	28c
Form Cakes	Plain, Each 25c	25c
Doughnuts	American Home 6 in. Cakes	10c
Cookies	Lemon, Sugar Fruit or Coconut 12 in. Pkg.	13c
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Fancy California Navel
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Cider	Matto Sweet	Quart 22c
Ginger Ale	House Dry Pale	Pint Bottle 15c
Pineapple	American Home Sliced	No. 2 1/2 Can 25c
Peaches	American Home	No. 2 1/2 Can 25c
Crabmeat	Imported Japanese	5/8 Can 32c
Chili Sauce	Soldiers	Lg. Bottle 28c
Heinz Ketchup	Lg. Bottle	26c
Mayonnaise	House Brand	8 oz. Jar 22c
Cherries	Maraschino	3oz. Bottle 10c
Chocolate	Menier	1/4 lb. 22c
Brown Sugar	Old Fashioned	1 lb. Pkg. 9 1/2c

FRUITS	
Cranberries	Lb. 21c
Fancy Quality	
Grapes	2 Lbs. 35c
Extra Fancy Emperors	
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"HARRY"—"The Garden of Allah"

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CONRAD FRARLE
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FLORENCE VISION—"The Palace"

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LUCARD COOPER in "The Palace"

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OAK PARK
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Mrs. Hugh McBirney To Have Villa Near Florence in Spring

By HARRY R. HARRIS

Mrs. Hugh McBirney is to have a villa near Florence in the spring. The villa is to be a masterpiece of architecture, and is to be built on a hillside overlooking the sea. Mrs. McBirney is a woman of great taste and refinement, and her villa is to be a fitting reflection of her personality.

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WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER: Let the Rest of the World Go "Buy"



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ENGAGED

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The reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents. There will be a large number of guests, and the evening will be a most enjoyable one.

The bride and groom will be leaving for their honeymoon on January 3, 1928. They will be visiting in Europe for several months.

The bride and groom will be returning to Chicago on January 10, 1928. They will be residing at the home of the bride's parents until they have found a permanent home.

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This Little Frock Is for Miss 8 to 12

BY CORINNE LOWE

NEW YORK.—(Special Correspondence.)—Yes, another of those bias products of fashion! But how can one avoid repetition when two out of every three gowns of the season are designed along these lines. This model of today is, however, endowed with a distinction which it has managed to wrest from even the hackneyed formula. Here, in fact, is the bias arrangement developed in an altogether new way. It consists of a wide band of self material brought down from the shoulder like an ambassador's scarf and enveloping the skirt in its generous attentions. This swathing fold over the hip is brought around to the front to slip through a small opening in the skirt. Subsequently, it becomes a sash that falls some inches lower than the gathered skirt.

Carried out in the new putty beige so dear to the season, the model is to be commended for the mastery of restaurant daytime hours. The girlish effect we note in this gown is only one of a score of experiments that make the waistline of this year's frock an altogether different affair from that of last season. There is the twisted girle that is identified with the name of Boulanger and the spiral girle which is used by Lanvin, Jenny and others. We find the narrow tailored belt, even in suede, invading the precincts of the ballroom and we find also the tied hipline of which numerous couturiers, notably Bonheur, make so much.

As for our evening gown waistline are diversified by puffed draperies, by cartridge plaits, rows of shirring, tailored belts and a thousand other devices. In fact, only the suburbs of the throat display so much talent for differentiation as the girle. (Copyright, 1927, by The Chicago Tribune.)

Tribune Cook Book

BY JANE EDDINGTON

Winter Pears. The smart people of the world almost universally finish their dinner with some fruit. It satisfies wholesomely the thirst which meats usually leave, even when the eater is not conscious of it. And of the fruits the pear is one of the most in favor, although much is made of a fine peach when it is out of season.

It is a notable fact that there are probably no pears more delicious than those labeled winter in the list of the "beurre" (butter) pears. Here we have a butter of winter's own composition, and these pears, when at their best, are almost as sweet as honey and lusciously wet. At present we may purchase that exceedingly rich piece of fruit called "beurre d'Anjou," and we also may choose it for dessert from the menus of our fine hotels. However, we need to be warned, perhaps, that there are no inferior or degraded imitations of this species of pear.

The little Forelle pear we consider a great beauty, in spite of its frolics. It has a wonderful red cheek. Most pears have a number of names, and a grocer was recently selling this as a lady pear, probably because he was selling right along side of it the little lady apple which also has a wonderful red cheek. Some people like to eat such a pear had the other sort mentioned with cheese at the end of a meal.

The Rose pear, a russet fruit, seems to be widely distributed in our markets at present, and sometimes it is as luscious as those other two sorts mentioned. In the horticultural descriptions of such fruit they are nearly always mentioned as having a slightly vinous juice, and perhaps this is why so many people like them in a fruit salad. Ripe pears of superior quality, and most especially these winter pears mixed with sliced oranges are delicious.

In an ancient book we find a description of such a salad with the suggestion that powdered sugar candy be used over the fruit instead of sugar as an improvement, but in these days there were not as many kinds of sugar candy as at present; and, by the way, the use of the word sugar, before candy, suggests that they may have had other types of candy, just as we are beginning to have.

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YOU AND YOUR CHILDREN

Too Much Excitement.

For weeks they've been looking forward to it—Christmas. Gradually their excitement has grown. Then the great day comes. Probably nine hundred and ninety-nine out of a thousand children wake up hours before their regular time on Christmas morning. They are keyed up from the minute their feet touch the cold floor as they dash to get their stockings until they go to bed that night.

Children, especially little children, are much more excitable than we often realize. Sometimes you can see the signs of it—like overflushed cheeks, overbright eyes, and even trembling, and in normal, healthy youngsters, too. Sometimes you can't see the signs of it, but it's pretty sure to be there.

And as a rule everything on Christmas day tends to increase their excitement. Everybody else is excited and talkative and there are apt to be lots of people around. Often, as a result of Christmas gaiety, little children are upset, irritable, nervous, unstrung, and even sick.

It is really necessary for us to keep our heads on the great day and save the little children as much as we can. There are three ways that I have found to help a lot.

One is not to let them out loose on holiday goodies. The older children can stand a great deal, but the younger ones must be watched. Another way is to firmly abstract them from the games of gaiety during the early afternoon, and even if they can't nap keep them quiet in a quiet room. Also, see that they get out doors for a little while at least.

And just between you and me—it would help some of the older children a lot if some one would just give father or grandfather or Uncle Bill an electric train and an airplane for himself, so that the boys could get a chance to play with their own trains and planes a little on Christmas day. (Copyright, 1927, by The Chicago Tribune.)

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(Drafts Studio Photo.)

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The wedding will be held on January 1, 1928, at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Dr. J. Edgar Hoover, who is a close friend of the family.

The bride is wearing a gown of white tulle and lace, and the groom is wearing a suit of dark cloth. They will be accompanied by their parents and a few close friends.

The reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents. There will be a large number of guests, and the evening will be a most enjoyable one.

The bride and groom will be leaving for their honeymoon on January 3, 1928. They will be visiting in Europe for several months.

The bride and groom will be returning to Chicago on January 10, 1928. They will be residing at the home of the bride's parents until they have found a permanent home.

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A Smooth Skin Is Not Hard to Attain, Thanks to Science

Yesterdays and the previous day we discussed acne, its cause and treatment. Today we come to the other blemish that causes as much mental discomfort as acne. You can be fat and jolly, thin and if not jolly—well, smug about your skin. You can have a number of what a crank might call real liabilities but you can grin and bear them so long as you suffer neither acute nor superficial hair on the face.

These are the two nonfatal ailments that cause pure mental suffering of keenest intensity. And often, we might add in the case of superficial hair, foolish embarrassment, and in cases of acne, there are many of them reported where a perfectly normal downy growth on cheek and lip is exaggerated into a menace to beauty, which it is not, any more than the down on a child's cheek may be deemed a menace to its physical charm. Unless the growth is really noticeable, leave it alone.

But if it is disagreeable there is no need for indulging in any fits of melancholia over either its cause or its treatment. Science knows little about the cause, but places what blame it can upon hereditary factors and gland disturbance, and sometimes derangement of the nervous system may aggravate the condition.

Science does say, however, that there is but one safe permanent form of removal—the well known electric needle, a tedious method and a slightly painful one. It is also a slightly expensive one.

"X-ray treatment is considered extremely dangerous by our best authorities. It is necessary to administer in large doses in order to destroy the hair follicles and the possible results from overexposure are wrinkled, roughened, and reddened skin, more objectionable by far than the original condition.

But for the comfort of the vast majority of afflicted who have already resorted to the use of depilatories (liquid or paste) or wax preparations, tweezers, cutting, shaving, or pumice stone, or bleach, the fears of certain alarmists that fatalities of another nature may result are obviously unfounded. The thousands and thousands of women who have been practicing these various methods for years for removing hair under the armpits if not on their faces certainly prove the danger of cutting, shaving, and the use of removal preparations is practically nil.

Club Children's Party

The Evanston Country club announces its annual children's party at 5:00 o'clock this afternoon. Twelve country club boys and girls are to give a play, "The Puppet Princess." The young people's Christmas dance is to take place at 8 o'clock this evening.

Kentworth Club Party

The Kentworth Woman's club is to give its annual Christmas party for children this afternoon. The children's cake of the Jack and Jill theater is to play "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

The Tribune will pay \$1 for every letter published in "The Most Embarrassing Moment of My Life." Address: Embarrassing Moments, Chicago Tribune. Write on the right side of the paper. No manuscript returned.

Her Sweet Man

I had rented a spare bedroom to an elderly man while my husband was out of town on one of his business trips. I was joyfully looking forward to his return and had forgotten about the roomer who also had a pass key.

While I was sitting in the front room waiting I heard the front door open and some one come in. Not thinking I called out cheerfully, "Hello, sweet Daddy."

Imagine my embarrassment when I looked up to see the new roomer coming in.

WASHINGTON SOCIETY

Washington, D. C., Dec. 22.—(Special.)—The Vice President and Mrs. Davis departed this evening for their home in Evanston, Ill., where they will remain until the opening of congress. They will be absent on New Year's day.

Representative and Mrs. Fred A. Britten gave a dinner this evening for Mrs. Francis McKeever of Chicago, who is visiting Senator and Mrs. Taylor in the White House on New Year's day.

Representative and Mrs. C. R. Chidbloom, accompanied by their daughter, Ruth, who is a writer of verses, and their son, Richard, a student at Miami University, departed this evening for their home in Chicago, where they will spend the holidays, returning here in time for the opening of congress.

NEW YORK SOCIETY

New York, Dec. 22.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Atwood Ballantine gave a reception this afternoon at the Colony club to introduce their daughter, Miss Barbara Ballantine, to the members of the club.

Mrs. William Schuetz gave a luncheon party for ninety-six guests today at the St. Regis.

Mrs. Frederic C. Church Jr., the former Mariel Vanderbilt, has returned to her home in Boston after spending a few days at the Ambassador.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Drezel and W. Hude Nelson arrived from France yesterday and will be at the Plaza for several weeks.

AMUSEMENTS

RAINBOW FRONTON

Clark B. Lawrence, A. Adelman, MANN'S MILLION DOLLAR RAINBOW GARDEN EVERY NIGHT AT 8:15

30 SPANISH ATHLETES

Entire City Revue Tonight vs. FISH FANS CLUB'S CHRISTMAS FUNDS FOR POOR BOYS

TICKETS ON SALE ADMORKE 3700

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HARRIS MATINEE WED. & SAT.

Holbrook Blinn

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WITH GREATEST CAST EVER SEEN

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100 GIRLS 32 SONGS

WOODS POP

POP, MAT. WED. & SAT.

HIT DECK

with QUEENLY CAST

COLLEGE INN

Reserve Tables Now for New Year's

THE DESERT

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STUDEBAKER

with Alexander Gray

MR. PIM

with Alexander Gray

SELWYN

with Alexander Gray

BROADWAY

with Alexander Gray

GOODMAN

with Alexander Gray

GLINN HUNTER

with Alexander Gray

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Carl Ed

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Walter Berndt

—"SMITTY," the happy office boy whose ups and downs are eagerly watched.

Martin Branner

—"WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER," whose experiences, together with those of her irrepressible brother, "Perry," afford many laughs.

Ferd Johnson

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John T. McCutcheon

—dean of America's great cartoonists.



Carey Orr

—one of the country's most brilliant picture commentators upon current events.

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—creator of a page read the country over for its whimsical jabs at poses, affectations, and the absurd in human conduct.

Westbrook Pegler

—delightfully humorous but unflinching commentator about doings in sport-dom.



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—"NEW YORK SOCIETY," entertaining and complete reports of all that's interesting among Gotham's elite.

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—"PRACTICAL AND FANCY NEEDLEWORK," valuable hints for the woman who sews.

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—"THE HOME HARMONIOUS," ways to enhance the charm and value of the home.

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—weekly letter giving the news and gossip of Hollywood.

Maude Swabn Evans

—"CLUB ETHICS," helpful articles on parliamentary law and other subjects of interest to those interested in women's clubs.

WHEAT DECLINES
IN DULL MARKET;
CORN ALSO OFF

By CHARLES MICHAELS.
Holiday dullness prevailed in the grain market yesterday with an easier tone, and the close was at net. Corn was 1/2c to 3/4c lower and wheat 1/4c to 1/2c lower. The government report of the crop showing an increase of 100,000 bushels in the acreage had some effect on sentiment. Corn was off 1/2c to 3/4c and wheat 1/4c to 1/2c. The market was quiet and there was nothing in the news to excite buyers of wheat. The market was going to get out of the rut. The first time this season, open wheat was down to 1.25 1/2c. Corn was down to 50c. The market was quiet and there was nothing in the news to excite buyers of wheat. The market was going to get out of the rut. The first time this season, open wheat was down to 1.25 1/2c. Corn was down to 50c.

CASH GRAIN
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No. 1	1.25 1/2	1.25 1/2
No. 2	1.25 1/4	1.25 1/4
No. 3	1.25 1/8	1.25 1/8
No. 4	1.25 1/16	1.25 1/16
No. 5	1.25 1/32	1.25 1/32
No. 6	1.25 1/64	1.25 1/64
No. 7	1.25 1/128	1.25 1/128
No. 8	1.25 1/256	1.25 1/256
No. 9	1.25 1/512	1.25 1/512
No. 10	1.25 1/1024	1.25 1/1024
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PRODUCE
MARKETS

PRODUCE	CHICAGO	ST. LOUIS
WHEAT	1.25 1/2	1.25 1/2
CORN	50 1/4	50 1/4
SOYBEANS	1.25 1/4	1.25 1/4
BARLEY	1.25 1/8	1.25 1/8
RYE	1.25 1/16	1.25 1/16
CLAY	1.25 1/32	1.25 1/32
SPINACH	1.25 1/64	1.25 1/64
CARROTS	1.25 1/128	1.25 1/128
POTATOES	1.25 1/256	1.25 1/256
CABBAGE	1.25 1/512	1.25 1/512
CAULIFLOWER	1.25 1/1024	1.25 1/1024
BROCCOLI	1.25 1/2048	1.25 1/2048
SPINACH	1.25 1/4096	1.25 1/4096
CARROTS	1.25 1/8192	1.25 1/8192
POTATOES	1.25 1/16384	1.25 1/16384
CABBAGE	1.25 1/32768	1.25 1/32768
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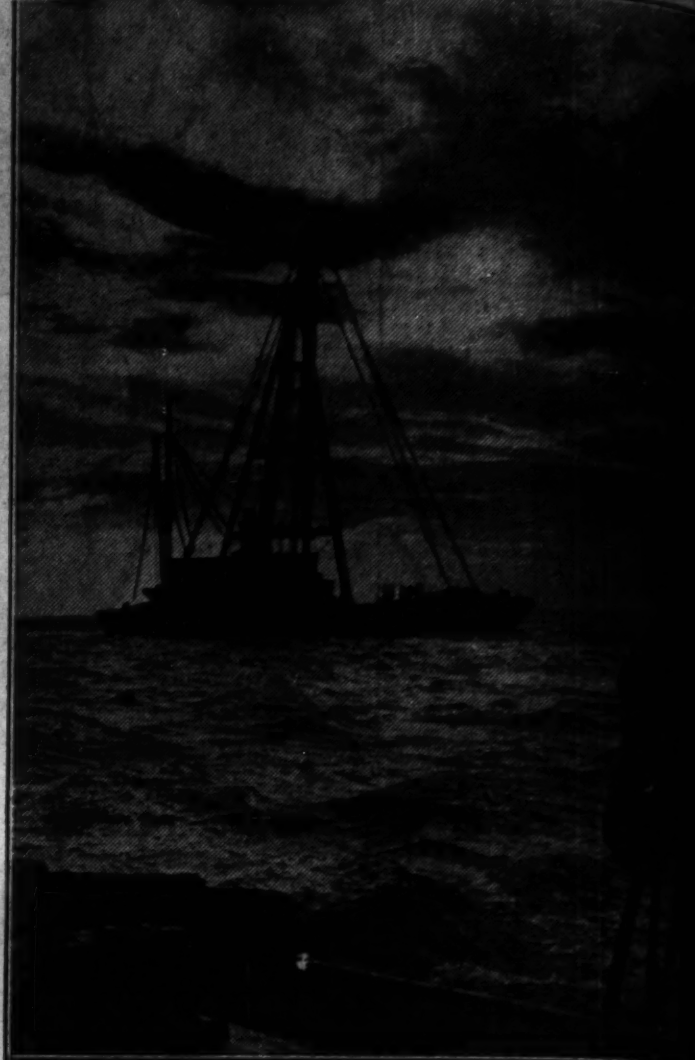
Christmas Spirit Demonstrated in Score of Fetes for City's Needy—Inquiry into S-4 Rescue Failure Is Asked



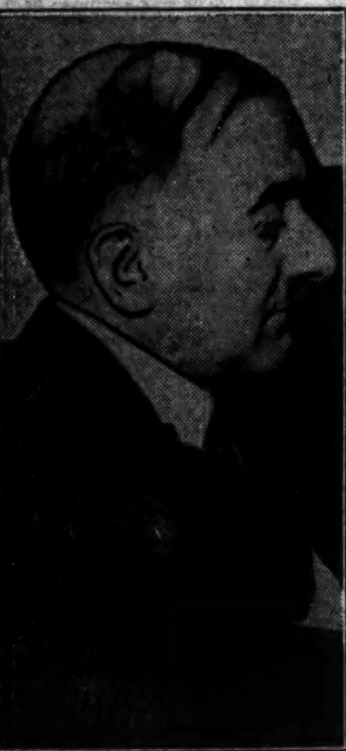
POLICE CAPTAIN ACTS AS SANTA CLAUS TO NEEDY OF DISTRICT. Capt. Matt Homer of Des Plaines street police station holding Esther Stille, 1 year, and Mary Kerr, 10 months, at Christmas party at station, which was attended by 3,000.
(Tribune Photo.) (Story on page 5.)



CRIPPLED CHILDREN ARE GUESTS AT CHICAGO THEATER PERFORMANCE. J. Lewis Coath, president of the board of education (left), and Mayor William Hale Thompson with some of the 650 pupils of the Spaulding school who saw movies and show.
(Tribune Photo.) (Story on page 5.)



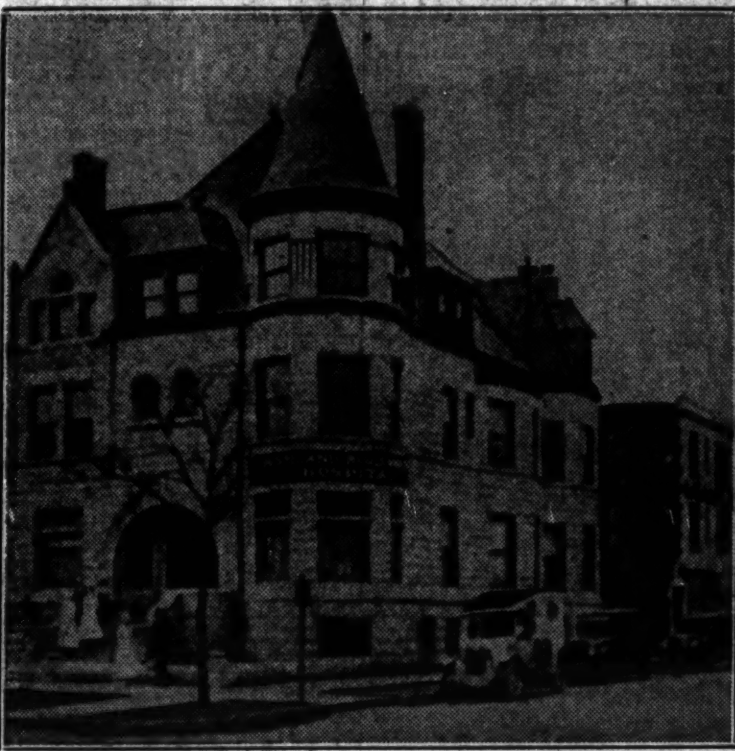
HOPE FOR S-4 CREW OFFICIALLY ABANDONED. The derrick ship Century, which may be used to bring the wreck of the submarine to the surface for inquiry.
(Pacific and Atlantic Photo.) (Story on page 1.)



HELD FOR MURDER. Dr. Amante Rongetti at inquest at which he was arrested.
(Story on page 7.)



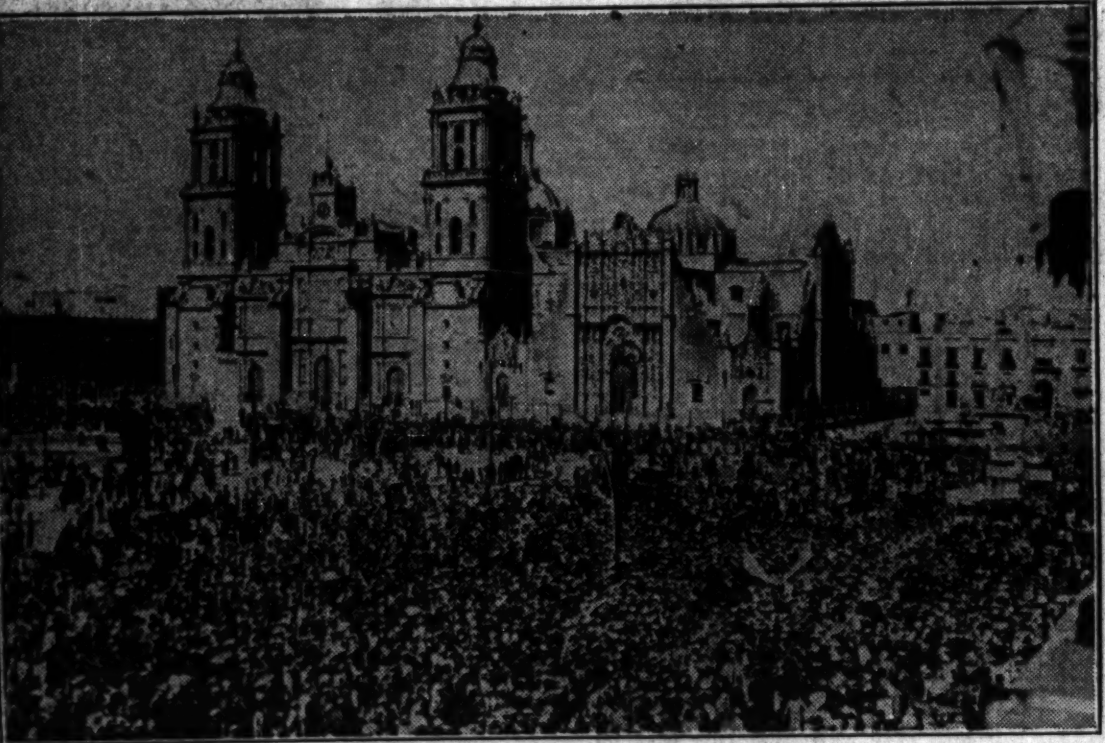
NURSE BLAMES DOCTOR FOR WOMAN'S DEATH. Miss Lorraine Irwin, former superintendent of nurses at Dr. Rongetti's hospital, on witness stand at inquest.
(Story on page 7.)



CORONER ASKS FOR HOSPITAL INQUIRY. Ashland Boulevard hospital, conducted at 800 South Ashland boulevard by Dr. Rongetti.
(Story on page 7.)



LECTURES PUPILS. Mrs. Ida M. Madgers scolds them for unauthorized holdup.
(Story on page 7.)



WHEN 100,000 WORKERS PARADED IN HONOR OF COL. LINDBERGH. General view of the crowd outside the national palace in Mexico City when the members of the Regional confederation of labor passed in review before flyer.
(Story on page 1.)



GIRL AND ERRING BANDIT PUPILS WHOM SHE LECTURED SEVERELY. Left to right: Herbert Stillwell, Charles Kohl, Edward Ferguson, Elmer Schwalze, the pupils, and their tutor, Mrs. Ida M. Madgers, at the Oak Park police station.
(Story on page 7.)



OPERA STAR TRIMS CLUB CHRISTMAS TREE. Left to right: Mrs. E. R. Fifield, president Illinois Woman's Athletic club; Mrs. T. J. Farrell and Mrs. James Field (sitting); Tito Schipa (on stepladder), and Mrs. H. O. Wiley and Mrs. L. L. Fitzpatrick.
(Story on page 4.)



MEXICO CITY HAILS LINDY'S MOTHER. Mrs. Evangeline Lindbergh, who, flying from Detroit in airplane, joined her son in the southern republic's capital yesterday.
(Copyright: Paramount News Photo.) (Story on page 1.)



MEMORIAL SERVICES HELD FOR VICTIMS OF STOCK YARDS FIRE TRAGEDY. Fire Marshal Michael Corrigan (left) with W. A. Horan (center) and James J. Horan, sons of fire marshal who was killed with 20 of his men 17 years ago, at Holy Name cathedral.
(Tribune Photo.) (Story on page 16.)



NEW CARDINAL. His Eminence Raymond Rouleau, archbishop of Quebec, gets red hat.
(Associated Press Photo.)



AVERY BRUNDAGE MARRIES ELIZABETH DUNLAP. Prominent contractor and former athlete leaving the First Unitarian Society of Chicago church after ceremony.
(Tribune Photo.) (Story on page 19.)